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GENERAL NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

A Stubborn Fire

NEW YORK, March 26.—A fire broke out this morning in the six story marble front building Nos 261 to 267 Canal street. After two hours' hard labor the fire was got under control. The building was owned by I. S. Higgins. The first floor and basement were occupied by E L Coffin, dealer in notions and hosiery, loss $65 000 insurance $60 000. The second story, Nos 261 and 263 by Cohen Ball & Co, clothiers, loss $150 000 insurance, $100,000. Second floor Nos 265 and 267 occupied by Hill Bros dealers in millinery goods, loss, $100,000, insurance $70 000. Loss on building, $200,000; insurance $110 000.

Sale Postponed.

NEW YORK, March 25.—The foreclosure sale of the Erie railway has been postponed for 30 days. Judge Daniels' order postponing the sale provides that no further delay will be granted.

Fire.

PHILADELPHIA, March 26.—A fire broke out to-night in the paint and drug store of W. H. [illegible] rapidly to adjoining buildings in the vicinity, mostly occupied by light manufacturing establishments, each building containing many occupants. A number of explosions occurred. The fire spread to the residences on Cherry street, over a dozen of which burned also extending to Third and Second streets. At 1 a. m. the fire was under control. About 30 buildings were more or less damaged loss roughly estimated at $1,000 000.

WASHINGTON CITY.

The Halifax Commission.

NEW YORK, March 26.—The *Tribune* reviewing its Washington matter, says: Extracts from the correspondence between Fish and Sir Edward Thornton with reference to the third member for the Halifax commission show that England waited fifty days before acting upon the nominations of the United States, that a conjoint nomination was evaded, that Delfosse was pressed by England for appointment against the repeated objections of Fish, and that the three months time allowed having been consumed by England with various expedients, that power then fell back upon the alternative of the nomination by the Austrian minister in London when Delfosse was promptly appointed. Correspondence between Fish and Thornton was very pointed.

Timber Land Bill.

WASHINGTON, March 26.—In the house Page introduced a bill for the sale of timber lands in California, Oregon and Washington Territory.

The Whisky Tax.

WASHINGTON, March 26.—The senate finance committee to-day decided to recommend the passage of the house joint resolution extending to three years the time for the payment of tax on distilled spirits.

Petition of the Texas Pacific People.

The following resolution was introduced by Smith of New York:

Whereas, The Texas Pacific Railroad Company has memorialized congress praying for the passage of an act authorizing and directing the secretary of the treasury to endorse upon its bonds, amounting to $40,000 per mile, a guarantee of five per cent interest thereon, in the name of the United States; and

Whereas, Said Texas Pacific Railroad Co proposes to issue, said bonds upon which the United States is asked to guarantee interest as aforesald [illegible] upon, among other things 600 miles [illegible] extending from Worth to El Paso [illegible] of Texas; and

Whereas, The title of said company to said 600 miles of road between Fort Worth and El Paso and its ability to execute a valid mortgage upon [illegible] not raised or inquired into by the [illegible] Pacific railroads as shown by the report [illegible] committee signed by William R [illegible]; therefore,

Resolved, That the judiciary committee be instructed to inquire into the same, referred to the [illegible] committee.

Hayes' Placidity.

WASHINGTON, March 26.—A number of members of congress, friends of the president called upon him this morning with reference to the speech of Senator Howe. They all showed more feeling in the matter than the president himself, and suggested that the speech be answered, fearing that to permit it to pass in silence might be an admission of its entire truth. The president took a different view placing himself on the ground that his official action was based on his sense of right, without thinking for a moment what might be the effect as affecting him personally. He was opposed to a public response, preferring that his acts should be the best interpreter of his motives and principles. He had sought to perform his duty, and with this he was content. No matter how others with prejudiced minds might view his conduct, all would recollect, he said, how bitterly the senator denounced President Lincoln toward the close of his first term, and how others sought to prevent Lincoln from being nominated for a second term, but notwithstanding all this he was nominated and became more popular than ever, people having become better acquainted with him and appreciated his conduct more. President Hayes was perfectly willing to be judged by the same tribunal. The president does not appear in the least disturbed by Senator Howe's speech, believing time will fully vindicate him.

Secretary Schurz Ill.

Secretary Schurz is ill.

In Light Demand

The demand for silver dollars is very light.

CONGRESSIONAL.

Senate.

WASHINGTON March 26

House joint resolution to prescribe the time for payment of tax on distilled spirits passed as it came from the house.

Christiancy from the committee on judiciary said he was directed by a majority of the committee to report back the bill to repeal the bankrupt law.

House

Atkins, chairman of the committee on appropriations, reported the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill and gave notice that he would call it up for consideration Thursday next. Wood from the committee on ways and means reported the tariff bill, and it was referred to the committee of the whole.

[The wires were working very badly last night, and consequently the dispatches are quite meager.]

Oregon as a Robber.

How could the idea have arisen that Oregon is so extremely desirous, as many allege to despoil Washington Territory and keep it in the background? It certainly is not true. The New York *Herald* of the 14th prints the annexed; the source of its information is not stated:

The people of Oregon look upon the Walla Walla valley in Washington Territory, with the eyes of desire and are opposed to the erection of the latter into a commonwealth until it shall yield some of its domain to extend Oregon's boundaries. The loss of this valley would lessen Washington's population so much as to defer her admission to the union until after 1900.

What will they Do with It?

[From the Philadelphia Record.]

The Benjamin Franklin Fund which is the accumulation of $5,000 left by the philosopher in 1789 to the city of Boston for the purpose of furnishing loans to young mechanics, is an elephant on the hands of that city. Franklin reckoned that in 100 years the fund would amount to about $500,000 of which $300,000 should then go to the city for public improvements and the remaining $150,000 be invested in the same way for another 100 years. The sum has now amounted to over $200 000 but for various reasons the young mechanics don't avail themselves of it, and the trustees are puzzling their brains to devise some means by which the intentions of the testator can be carried out and the fund kept from lying idle.

THE EASTERN QUESTION.

Russia's Answer to England's Demand

LONDON, March 26.—[illegible] whether the entire treaty of San Stefano will be submitted to the congress is anxiously awaited. The *[illegible]* expresses the opinion that more prudent Russian statesmen even the czar himself ought to be ready to smooth the way for the assemblage of the congress. The contention of our government is justified by Europe and though the remaining objection is not one which ought to be fatal it is by Russia rather than us that the objection ought in strict justice to be removed. The general opinion at the capitals of the great powers seems to be that Russia will refuse, and that this will render the situation very critical in consequence of the presence of the British fleet in the Sea of Marmora and the position of the Russians about Constantinople but that if no unforeseen incident or complication arises from these circumstances war may be avoided and after a period of suspense damaging to all powers a fresh proposal for a conference or congress will be brought forward under different form with hope of suc[illegible] have declared the treaty of San Stefano utterly unacceptable but the fact is equally certain Austria does not support England's demand concerning the form of its submission to the congress. Various explanations of the latter feature of Austria's policy are given.

The Triple Alliance.

VIENNA March 26.—A correspondent says a reconstitution of the triple alliance is preparing for the purpose of opposing British policy. To this end says the correspondent Russia is offering Austria every concession, and he believes negotiation will undoubtedly succeed. From other advices this seems an exaggerated pro-Russian view. Austria's objections are to the whole treaty of San Stefano.

Differences of Form.

Another Vienna correspondent says: This government seems to be of the opinion that the differences remaining between England and Russia are those of form rather than principle, and ought not to bar the meeting of the congress. Sir Henry Elliott British ambassador had a long interview with Count Andrassy on Sunday by appointment and in all probability there was an exchange of ideas on this subject of paramount importance. There is no doubt Russia is making a strong effort to avert the possibility of an Anglo Austrian alliance before giving England a final answer.

Piling up War Materials

LONDON March 26.—Government storehouses are so crowded with war material under recent contracts that storage has been secured in the warehouses at Victoria docks and on other wharves.

Regal Visits

SAN STEFANO March 26.—Grand Duke Nicholas with a suite of twenty will proceed to-morrow morning in the imperial yacht *Livadia* to visit the sultan who will immediately return it at one of the palaces placed at the grand duke's disposal or on board the *Livadia*.

Attitude of Servia.

LONDON March 26.—Servia is dissatisfied with the published terms of peace. The army will reoccupy the positions taken from the Turks until the congress decides on Servia's claims. Grand Duke Nicholas demands that Servia concentrate reserves on the northern frontier. Servia has not complied.

Dreadful Mortality

Two hundred refugees are dying daily in Constantinople.

Russia Delays Her Reply

A Vienna correspondent says it is confirmed that Russia has not yet sent her final answer to England.

CHANGE OF FEELING IN ENGLAND

LONDON PAPERS FRIENDLY TO RUSSIA THROUGHOUT THE WAR NOW CHANGE THEIR TONE—THEY TALK OF RUSSIAN TREACHERY AND DECEPTION.

(London Cor Feb 6 of N Y Times.)

The *News* has been as Russian as the *Golos*. It has said crueller things of the cabinet than the *Times* has said of the Turks. Yesterday it conveyed to its readers the idea of a man who having been victimized by the confidence trick has just discovered his loss. The *Times* never went so dead against public opinion as during the early days of the war. That the journal is conducted with a sense of the responsibility of journalism nobody doubts. For months it stood by the czar and encouraged his crusade even at the cost of some of its reputation for wisdom and fair play. Publicly burned with the *News* on the Stock Exchange the *Times* has been reviled openly in clubs and bar rooms. Mr Walter leading proprietor who is beloved by his constituents of Berkshire was black balled at the Athenæum Club. People are asking why? There can only be one reason. Mr Walter would be an ornament and an intellectual power in any society. The Athenæum simply desired to show its feeling against the Russophile tendencies of the *Times*. I could give you no better illustration of the sacrifices which this paper has made in the interest of the Christians for whom Russia claimed to have raised the standard of a merciful and sympathetic champion. With an amount of courage and self denial worthy of a great cause it urged England to give Russia her confidence and supported the opposition in its endeavors to stop supplies in the commons. But the avowed object of Russia being accomplished the paper paused in its wild career of Muscovite sympathy to look round. Then came the mystifications of Prince Gortschakoff the fearful carnage among the fugitives flying to Constantinople the march on Gallipoli and Constantinople, checked by the dispatch of the British fleet to the Dardanelles the withdrawal of the fleet to Besika Bay the fresh trespasses on guarantees which followed that retreat and the redispatching of the iron clads to force the Dardanelles if necessary and lastly, the advantages which it is believed have been again taken of British complacency in the mutual arrangements as to the non landing of troops. The *Times* through these anxious changes of the situation has at last come round to an earnest support of the ministry and the editors must feel deeply the humiliation which Russia has put upon them.

POLITICAL POINTS

Rev H K Hines publishes a letter in the La Grande *Sentinel* in which he begs his friends not to use his name in connection with a nomination for congress. His convictions of duty and his obligations growing out of other relations move him to make this request.

At Forest Cove Union county, March 8th there was a convention of the friends of equal rights, which resolved in favor of suffrage for woman and demanded that each of the parties nominate a woman for the office of superintendent of common schools for that county to be voted for in the coming election.

The *Mercury* attacks the third party movement in this state declares it is run as a tender to the Republican party and that the reform orators and leaders are paid for their work by the Republican party. This last may be set down as extremely doubtful. Doubtless the *Mercury* is excited by its fears of losing the election.

The Gold Mines in Georgia.

[Atlanta (Ga.) Constitution.]

We can safely assert that the mines of [illegible] in five years will yield as much gold as those of California ever did. What more does a man want than to pick up nuggets worth $300 [illegible]? Only lately a party of road hands working the public road near [illegible] dug up a plug of gold as large as a man's thumb. A country man [illegible] [illegible] from Dawson county [illegible] [illegible] pocket along with his tobacco and knife two pieces of gold that could not have weighed less than $[illegible]. He was just as careless with them as if they had been [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]. We said to him [illegible] [illegible] Yes [illegible] Well why do you raise cabbage and haul them so far? Here [illegible] Well you see stranger I [illegible] bring my wagon down to Atlanta [illegible] back salt and bacon and a few fixings for the old lady and cabbage is about as light a load as I can haul. I generally dig gold when my crop fails.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

CALIFORNIA

Real Estate Sale

SAN FRANCISCO, March 26.—Platt's hall was well filled at noon to-day at the auction sale of city real estate improved.

Assessment Levied

Ophir has levied an assessment of $1.

BRITISH COLUMBIA

Shipping

VICTORIA, March 25.—The barkentine *Mylo* from Departure Bay with coal for San Pedro California passed out of the straits to-day.

SAN FRANCISCO STOCK EXCHANGE.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 26

Alta—1 0 shs $4 [illegible]
Andes—[illegible] shs [illegible]
Alpha—10 shs $8¾ 10 8⅞ 40 7
[illegible]her—250 shs $[illegible] 7 80
B [illegible]—[illegible] shs $[illegible] 40 4 40
B & B—[illegible] shs $1[illegible] [illegible] 10 16 10 16¼
Benton—300 shs $1 05 500 1 100 1 10
California—[illegible] shs $[illegible]
Con Va—225 shs $19¼ 15 19⅛ 20 19 20 19
Chollar—30 shs $25¼ 30 25 10 25
Confidence—30 shs $1¾
Caledonia—110 shs $1¾ 100 1 80
Dayton—100 shs 1 c
Exchequer—10 shs 2¾ 190 2 80
E C C—45 shs $6¼ 225
G & N—650 shs $[illegible] 1611 7
Julia—3[illegible] shs $2
Justice—100 shs $7 [illegible] 190 [illegible]
Kentuck—50 shs $3
Leviathan—700 shs 35c 500 30 60 10
Mexican—[illegible] shs $10⅞ 1 10 11 [illegible] 10⅞
New York—[illegible] shs 80 [illegible]
N Con Va—100 shs 60c
Ophir—300 shs $39¼ [illegible] [illegible] 41
Overman—45 shs $12⅛ 130 12 25 12 ¼ 10 12¼
Savage—280 shs $5½ [illegible]
S Nevada—70 shs $[illegible] 60
S Hill—[illegible] shs $1 10 [illegible] 1½
Solid Silver—100 shs $1
Trojan—[illegible] shs [illegible] 00 70c
Utah—[illegible] shs $[illegible] [illegible]
Union—1 0 $1 80 [illegible]
Woodville—180 35c
Wells Fargo—1 0 shs 10 [illegible]
Ward—1[illegible] [illegible]
Yellow Jacket—[illegible] shs $7⅛

AFTERNOON SALES

Argenta—1000 shs 4[illegible] 1000 50c
Alps—50 shs $3¾ 43 2 15
Alta—[illegible] shs $[illegible]
Alpha—10 shs $[illegible]
Belmont—115 shs $[illegible]
Belle Isle—[illegible] shs 6[illegible] 400 60
Bristol—50 shs $1
Belcher—40 shs $3 1 0 3 10
Bodie—25 shs $11 [illegible] 10 1[illegible]
Bullion—1 0 shs $4
B & B—1 0 shs $1[illegible] [illegible] 60 1
California—435 shs $ 7¾
Con Va—[illegible]0 shs $1[illegible]
Crown Point—[illegible] shs $1 [illegible] 1 85 [illegible] 1 80 10 1
Chollar—10 shs $7⅞ [illegible]
Dayton—[illegible] shs $1¼ [illegible] 300 1 [illegible] 20
Defiance—[illegible]0 shs [illegible] 60 [illegible] 60c
Eureka—[illegible] shs $1[illegible] 145 42 60 [illegible] 10 50 4[illegible] 30
Eldorado So—[illegible] shs $1
Fulowment—[illegible] shs 60c
Exchequer—100 shs $2 [illegible] 90 50 2 80
Falcon—1 0 shs 10
Grand Prize—16[illegible] shs $6 [illegible] 00 [illegible]
G & C—60 shs $[illegible] 10 [illegible] 210 6 [illegible]
Gila—7 0 shs 60c
Golden Terra—[illegible] shs $[illegible]
Hussey—[illegible]00 shs 1[illegible] [illegible] 100 1
Hornet—200 shs 20c 30 15
H & N—2[illegible] shs $[illegible] 165 [illegible] 100 [illegible] 310 50
Independence—900 shs 90c
Jackson—50 shs $ 80
Justice—700 shs $7 100 [illegible]
Leeds—[illegible]0 shs $1 [illegible]
Leopard—[illegible] shs 70c 100 [illegible]
Modoc—450 shs $1 80 300 190 5 0 1 30
Mexican—220 shs $1[illegible] 60 11 [illegible] 1 0 11
Manhattan—30 shs $1[illegible] 120 10 [illegible]
Navajo—[illegible] shs $2 1[illegible] 360 [illegible] 20
Northern Belle—60 shs $8½ 300 8
Ophir—290 shs $33¾ 280 33¾ 100 31 [illegible]
Overman—[illegible]0 shs $12¾
Phœnix—25 shs $2[illegible] 1 0 2 40 50 1 35
Rye Patch—25 shs $ [illegible]00 5 b 30
R & F—[illegible]0 shs $4 1[illegible] [illegible] 0 4 10
S Nevada—350 shs $3 [illegible] 2 95
S Prize—600 shs 50 [illegible] 200 40 [illegible]0 4[illegible]
Savage—[illegible] shs $9 [illegible] 50 9 [illegible] 250 [illegible] 150 [illegible]
Tip Top—225 shs $1 [illegible] 1 50 2
Union—[illegible]0 shs $5 [illegible]
Y America—[illegible]0 shs 40c

The Sacramento Flood of 1835

[From the Colusa Sun

We think we had a very heavy flood in this valley the present winter but according to accounts this has been but a shower in comparison with some of its predecessors. G Gell of Grand Island informs us that in 1865 while he was in Arizona, engaged in fighting Indians an old trapper named Weaver who served as guide told him that in 1835 he (Weaver) was engaged in trapping along Stony creek Colusa county. Then the whole Sacramento valley was under water and the course of the Sacramento river could not be distinguished except by the trees along its banks. Weaver said he left five men on Stony creek to take charge of his horses while he and fourteen others started across the valley in skeleton boats constructed of hides and that they camped at the extreme south end of the Buttes in Sutter county on a point now known as Mark Mahoney's ranch. Here they were obliged to remain until the water went down as there was a vast sea of water as far as the eye could reach. According to this statement it will require a very commodious canal to make settlers perfectly safe from winter showers.

HAPPINESS AND MONEY GETTING.—So the happiness that attends the acquirement of money if it is to be enduring must be of slow growth. He who grasps at large and speedy results who rushes into speculation borrowing freely extending and expanding a business beyond its legitimate resources, has a fitful feverish pleasure which even success cannot preserve, and failure must utterly crush. Money gained thus rapidly never gives the permanent happiness which is hoped for exhaustion weariness and *ennui* ensue while still oftener what is thus suddenly and lightly acquired as suddenly and rapidly takes its flight. But he who is content to begin humbly to toil for what he gets to extend so far and so fast as his actual means will warrant who craves nothing more than the fair meed of his exertions, and prefers to risk only what belongs to him, while knowing nothing of the exciting pleasure of the speculator, yet lays the foundation of a happiness which will grow and endure because the principles which uphold it are eternal.—*Philadelphia Ledger.*

A Miser's Wretched Death.

[From the Cincinnati Times March 2.]

John Fuhs a miser died at Cincinnati to-day leaving behind him nearly $3 000 000 worth of property. His history is a romantic one. He lived in a little dirty dilapidated room in a frame shanty back in a lonesome alley when in town and when on his country property in a log cabin of one room. He kept a safe in the town for his papers and took his meals at a cheap restaurant buying meagerly and of the cheapest kind of food. His appearance was that of a tramp clothes ragged and soiled face unshaven and hair unkempt. He always bought his clothes at second hand stores. Few thought he was rich yet he owned 5000 acres of land in Missouri the same amount in Iowa besides valuable property in St Louis Cincinnati and Chicago. He had no wife or children but leaves two sisters in this city who inherit his savings. He was fifty years of age.

Jay Gould's Active Lobby.

Washington D.C. [illegible] Chicago Times

Jay Gould's [illegible] lobby [illegible] work [illegible] [illegible] the substitute for Senator [illegible] [illegible] bill. The [illegible] [illegible] the Thurman bill is examined the more it appears to be in the interest of the [illegible]. It proposes that the Pacific railroad [illegible] shall be [illegible] as debtors to the government and [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] all honest [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] committee on the judiciary [illegible] more in the interest [illegible] than [illegible] [illegible] been drawn by the lobbyists themselves as possibly [illegible] been. At any rate Jay Gould is here with a hotel Albany [illegible] and a large number of old familiar lobbyists [illegible] watching the bill. What need there can be for lobbyists those who are familiar with Jay Gould's tactics can best understand.

PERSONAL AND GENERAL

[illegible] is [illegible] played [illegible] New [illegible] Stanley Matthews [illegible] equally honest.

Samuel Bowles the younger [illegible] who is keeping the Springfield *Republican* well up to the [illegible] the health [illegible] his father is in Washington.

Gen Jack or a soldier and Mrs Gen [illegible] who broke up a cabinet because the secretaries' wives would not visit her is to receive a monthly pension of [illegible].

The public debt of Ohio including state county township [illegible] [illegible] about one third of which is covered by the municipal debt of Cincinnati.

Democratic papers are bragging over three families in North Carolina that poll 75 Democratic votes. But New York has single families that have repeatedly beat that.

Chicago *Tribune*: When [illegible] Ward of Oshkosh refused to have the ceremony performed at his girl promptly knocked him down—in other words she razed his Ebenezer.

Under carpet-bag rule the South Carolina legislature bought 212 clocks for the state [illegible] They were bound [illegible]

St Louis *Journal*: The intelligent compositor who quoted the Rev Talmage as saying "An honest man is the noblest work of God now lies stiff and stark in the dank churchyard mold and the daisies are growing all around all around and the daisies are growing all around."

Senator Davis wears an atrocious old brown felt hat jammed down over his eyes and Mr Conkling's tile is ever more shockingly bad. It is an indescribable structure of Japanese silk looking like a collapsed balloon, and has a stiff, round brim stretched over wire and an utterly limp and inconsequential low crown.

Free Counterfeiting

[From the New York Times.]

We are yet a young nation and we are still somewhat in bondage to the traditions of our monarchical forefathers. The passage of the silver bill was a glorious departure from the dull and stupid precedents of effete monarchies but after all we are still unduly influenced by the effete customs prevalent among European nations. Our laws still provide that the privilege of coining money shall be [illegible] to the federal mint. In this respect we are servilely following the narrow minded tyrannical rule of monarchical countries. There [illegible] continues a single [illegible] existence which [illegible] [illegible] the privilege of coining money exclusively to the government. This single fact ought to be [illegible] [illegible] ago to deprive our republican government of its unrepublican monopoly. It is all very well for [illegible] England and autocratic Italy—countries in which every inhabitant is the abject slave of the monarch—to deprive the people of the right of making their own coins but it is monstrous that the same degrading practice should prevail here. Not only should there be no limit placed upon the coinage of silver dollars but every citizen should have the right to make his own coins and to decide upon the number of grains they should contain and the pattern of the die to be used in making them. The great free west, irrespective of former affiliations is now enthusiastic in support of the doctrine that the chief end of statesmanship is to debase the coinage to swindle all creditors and to inflate the currency. It is the manifest duty of the west to add to its platform a declaration that every citizen has a right to be a counterfeiter.

Gen Sherman at the White House Sunday Evening Meeting

[From the New York Times.]

On Sunday evening so the story runs the president assembled himself and some prominent persons in the magenta room of the White House with a view of singing hymns. There were present Gen Sherman Secretary Schurz Secretary Thompson the postmaster general, Stanley Matthews and a presidential small boy. Two or three of those present had never before been admitted to the Sunday evening singing and were obviously in doubt as to how they were expected to conduct themselves. The president after distributing hymn books began to search for a nice opening hymn and the guests sat in silence with the exception of General Sherman who having accidentally dropped his hymn book with a loud crash made a remark which at first startled Mrs Hayes. The general however hurriedly explained that he had merely expressed his solemn conviction of the truth of the dogma of future punishment and the president gladly accepting the explanation but at the same time taking the precaution to send his youngest child out of the room announced that the three hundred and ninety seventh hymn would be sung to the air of "China" and requested Mr Schurz to preside at the piano.

Miss Mary Started Him

[From the Dayton W T News

Miss Mary Montgomery residing in the Nez Perce country took up a claim some time ago erected a house thereon occupied it and made such other improvements as the law requires. While her friends and neighbors commended her for her courage and energy an ungallant land shark came along one fine day and seeing what he deemed a flaw in her inchoate title proceeded at once to jump her claim after the most approved fashion. Hearing of this Miss Montgomery armed herself with a good revolver and went for the scalp of the said jumpee, when he suddenly lit out from those parts—not having sufficient "sand" to fight with the woman he had attempted to wrong. It is almost unnecessary to add that Miss M remains her land and is master of the situation.

Cattle Ranges in the West.

Report of Omaha Board of Trade.]

The wealth of Nebraska Wyoming Dakota Montana Idaho, Oregon Nevada Colorado and Kansas consists in the extent and magnificence of the nutritious beef producing grasses the excellence of the climate and facilities afforded by a direct route of transportation to market. In the country north and south of the Union Pacific road and its branches it is estimated that 5 000 000 cattle can be sustained and prepared for market without difficulty and at an average expense at present of $1 per head per annum each season. The drive from the southwest is extending further north until within a very short period instead of being at the extreme northern limit Omaha will be in the center of the great stock growing region of the west. As will be observed the business has been increased and is now increasing at the rate of 50 per cent per annum. During 1876 the receipts at this point were 8[illegible]00 head from the Union Pacific road while for 1877 the arrivals have exceeded 8[illegible]000 head which we have every assurance will reach 1[illegible]0 00 head in 1878.

Butler Dissected.

[San Francisco Commercial Herald.]

It is now on foot to procure the issue of fractional currency to replace subsidiary silver coins and the unchecked utterance of one two and five dollar notes. Ben Butler is reputed to be the engineer of this latter scheme which he affects will be the panacea for all our financial troubles. Whatever else may be said of Butler it cannot be denied that he has been consistent in dishonesty from first to last. Whether it be from an utter lack of moral perception in the man or a reckless savage disregard and contempt for public opinion or because he believes like the late Jim Fiske that the great mass of mankind are natural rogues and seeks to [illegible] their support by catering to their propensities it is not possible to determine with accuracy but he seems to be guided by one or all of these influences in his financial career.

How will they "Unsign" It?

From the New York Times.]

With Turkey helpless Germany friendly and Austria half persuaded Russia has virtually packed her jury and can await their verdict with tolerable composure. She has already gained over her adversaries the advantage of arming to the [illegible] while they [illegible] their hand [illegible] no longer to prevent something from being [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] already done [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]. What [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible].

The "Wilson G. Hunt"

[From the Seattle Tribune.]

The steamer *Wilson G Hunt* which has been purchased by Messrs Bates and Irving [illegible] New Westminster [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] city for Victoria on or about April [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the *Wilson G Hunt* [illegible].

[illegible] [illegible] Walt[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] was destroyed by fire last Friday morning March 22d. Mr Parsel was absent from home and his very aged parents were sufferers by the sudden exposure and anxiety before relief could be obtained. Loss $500.

AGRICULTURE AND THE PATENT SYSTEM

LABOR SAVING BY NEW IMPLEMENTS AND MACHINERY—WHAT THE PATENT [illegible] HAS DONE FOR AGRICULTURE

The senate committee on patents is about to report a new bill for codification of the patent laws. A mass of materials has been submitted to it by the [illegible] who has made an extended tour of the Mississippi states to direct inquiries to various points—such as what benefit has accrued to an inventor from a patent, what benefit to the public, what royalties have been paid for the use of a patent, how much of time labor and expense an inventor has cost, what it costs to introduce an invention to the public, what grounds of complaint there are against the present law and what modifications of the law are desired. We cannot go over the ground he has traversed but submit a few points touching important agricultural implements and machinery. And first of

THE OLIVER CHILLED PLOW.

Mr Oliver was a manufacturer of common plows in Michigan. He began at South Bend in 18[illegible]. He saw that the demand of the farmers was for the plow that would have a mold board of hard finish, something harder than iron, because iron was [illegible] of a chilled mold board. It was nothing new. It had been attempted for twenty five years and every time resulted in utter failure for this reason. It was found that when you attempted to enlarge the surface of the mold board beyond thirty six superficial inches you could not produce a perfect piece of iron. There would be soft spots in it and cavities called blow holes. Those who had attempted the production of chilled iron said that these resulted from the gases in the metals. Mr Oliver came to a different conclusion after a great deal of investigation—that it was from some other cause. I will not detail the amount of money he spent or the difficulties he encountered. People called him a lunatic and his friends deserted him. His shop was burned down and he had no means but he fell on to the idea that there was a possibility of obtaining a piece of chilled iron which he could use for a mold board. He finally concluded that these soft spots and blow holes as they are called were the result of moisture in the molding sand and therefore he invented a mold with an iron pipe through it through which he could pour hot water and thus try the moisture from the sand after the mold was made. After a great many trials, he succeeded in producing his mold board in two pieces. This was the first step. Then he discovered that there were some gases in the metals. He started upon another line of invention to have some holes connected with the mold by which the gases should escape. Through these two inventions he has produced the present chill plow. He uses the superior iron and when he can obtain the Saulsbury ore he makes a mixture of that with the Lake Superior iron and thus obtains an exceedingly hard and tenacious metal—one which will resist the wearing and one which will also not be easily broken. Through these two inventions he has been enabled to produce this mold board much more cheaply than the cast steel plow can be produced and he has reduced the price about 32. Instead of raising his price above all other plows in use, when he made his improvements he said to himself "I will put these plows so cheaply that they shall come into universal use." His patent was the first one that was ever issued from the patent office for the manufacture of chilled plows. There never had been a claim put in before him. He has taken out eighteen patents as the improvement has gone on. He brought out his first plow in 1870. He had been studying upon it for many years but only after a long period of time (not actively engaged in experiments all the while but he had been turning it over in his mind for a quarter of a century) was he able to bring out his plow. If you were to visit his works you would find 300 men employed in the manufacture. He sent out 50 000 plows year before last and 60 000 last year. There are 17 000 in use. His orders thus far indicate he is called to make about 75 000 to be called for the present year.

THE DECATUR CHECK ROWER

This is an implement for planting corn produced at Decatur Ill. Mr Coffin thus describes it to the committee:

The check rower is an invention which has come into use within a very few years. It is a very simple instrument consisting of a wire chain or knot ted rope, stretched across the field. It is anchored at both ends and it runs through the machine. As you drive across the field every time that a knot goes through a little slot in the machine it touches a spring and drops the corn. All you have to do is is to anchor this rope on both sides of the field and drive backward and forward all day long until your acres are planted, and then you can cultivate in both directions. This was a great step. I will not attempt to detail its advantages. You will see at a glance that great advantages would accrue from such a machine. These machines are now largely manufactured at Decatur Ill there being two establishments there which I visited and from which I obtained the details. The saving, you conceive would be very great in planting and in cultivation. Under the old way the man with a hand planter could plant three or four acres per day. With a two horse check rower planter, twenty acres can be planted in a day. You see that by this process the farmer of Illinois is enabled to increase his acreage—the planting season lasting about ten days—from 10 to 20 acres by this simple process. This simple invention, therefore, enables a small farmer to become a large one. I say nothing of the saving in labor nor the ability of the farmer to put in his crop on a few fair days.

But the most interesting part of the matter is that relating to reaping machines. We have room only for the following:

In 1834 Cyrus McCormick took out a patent but the world heard little of a reaping machine until 184[illegible] when McCormick built 150 at Cincinnati. In 1846 he had 200 built at Rockport N Y. In 185[illegible] there was a general trial of reapers and mowers at Geneva N Y. Nine machines contested for other inventors had taken out patents. Nineteen years had passed since the first patent had been issued. Out of the nine machines exhibited not one could start in the grain without backing to get up speed. There was a heavy side draft they were clumsy they could not turn easily. In 1850 about 10 000 machines had been built by the different makers nearly all of which were one wheeled machines. About this time Messrs Wheeler of Auburn Ball of Canton, O and Miller of the same town began to manufacture two wheeled machines. These manufacturers combined and bought more than 100 patents. In 1855 there was an exhibition of reapers at the French Exposition one English, one French and one American—McCormick's. The French machine did its allotted work in seventy two the English in sixty six and McCormick's in twenty two minutes. McCormick won the first victory at London over Bell in 18[illegible] and now for the second time the American's invention achieved a triumph. Two years later in 1857 there was a trial at Syracuse N Y at which nineteen machines were exhibited to mark the progress that had been made in five years. Of these all except three could start in the grain without backing to get up speed. A great variety of machines were invented some to prove utter failures and others that were purchased and what was valuable in them incorporated into some other machine. About 1860 the Wood machine appeared and the Dorsey, Seymour and Morgan machines were combined. These were great improvements. Best sources give the number of reapers and mowers manufactured in each state in 18[illegible] as follows: In New England [illegible]00 New Jersey 7[illegible] New York 63,[illegible]00 Pennsylvania 4 6[illegible] Ohio 47 [illegible] Indiana [illegible]00 Iowa 8 1[illegible]0 Wisconsin 1[illegible]0 Minnesota [illegible] Illinois 1[illegible]00 other states [illegible] [illegible] harvesters a machine upon which two men ride and do the binding 4 000 are manufactured—making a total of say 1[illegible]0 machines. The amount of capital invested in the manufacture of these machines is about

THIRTY MILLION DOLLARS

Almost every manufacturer of the machines now in use is a patentee. Over [illegible] patents have been issued on reapers and mowers and machines and devices connected with them. This indicates the amount of thought and labor but it does not show the amount of money expended. I am assured by the McCormick Company that over $1[illegible] has been expended by that company in experiments. I will also state that the Champion Reaper Company of Springfield, O gave similar testimony in regard to the amount spent by that company. Mr McCormick granted few or no licenses to manufacturers. His facilities were very large and he supplied the market himself. Hussey granted licenses at $[illegible] on each [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] by nearly all the makers of other machines [illegible] 18[illegible] so discouraging was the outlook that Hussey [illegible] his patent [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

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THE [illegible] [illegible]

Mr Chairman and gentlemen [illegible] [illegible] I have taken [illegible] [illegible] fall in the line of the Northern Pacific railroad in the valley of the Red river of the north, you would have seen twenty self binders one morning all starting together to reap a field containing 7 000 acres. The entire crop which amounted to 1[illegible] bushels of wheat was not touched by a human hand until it passed into the thresher. No binder demanding his $[illegible] or $4 per day appears upon that field. And there sir in that valley of the Red river of the north and in Texas and in California is the great future of the self binder. No man can measure what its capacities are cutting its fifteen or twenty acres a day with a boy driving two horses reducing the cost of the cultivation of wheat to its lowest terms. The reaper and self binder have already exhibited a capacity to save $100 000 000 per annum to this country giving us that credit on the right side of the ledger. It is this that inventors are doing to-day. It is not the farmer who has given $100 000 000 to this country on the right side of the balance sheet but it is the inventor behind the farmer. It is Hussey in 183[illegible] McCormick in 1834 and the great host of men of like genius who have spent their nights and their money and everything that they could get to develop these machines which have become a blessing to the world.

THE PLEA FOR THE MONOPOLY

The following is a portion of the argument of the senate railroad committee of which Mitchell is chairman in behalf of the Union and Central Pacific corporations and against the Thurman bill to compel them to make proper payments to government out of their [illegible] torneys of the corporations in the senate are pleading the case in behalf of these poor clients with great earnestness and some adroitness. But the argument that the great monopoly is now to be an object of sympathy and favor because other lines are projected and in course of construction across the continent from which sharp competition will result, is most false of all because it is the policy of the existing monopoly to prevent the construction of such other lines and so far it has been successful. Hence the efforts now making to cripple and defeat the Northern Pacific. It is worth while to read the following just to see how well the Union and Central Pacific are served in the senate of the United States:

When the roads were first projected very few persons had faith in their commercial importance. The United States desired their construction for postal and military purposes and they have been most effective in both respects. The savings to the government in these regards have been enormous. If the companies could have obtained an amount of transportation on government account equal to that carried before the construction of the roads the one half compensation for the carriage of which the United States is entitled to withhold and apply on account of the bonds issued it would have extinguished the whole indebtedness arising therefrom long before the maturity of the bonds. And if the companies could have maintained the rates charged by them in the beginning of the operation of their roads the amounts going to the government would, doubtless, have been sufficient to discharge the entire claims of the United States at the maturity of the bonds. But unexpectedly and to the surprise of everybody these roads forming a continuous line across the continent rapidly grew into great commercial importance. This necessitated a reduction of rates and this resulted in a direct benefit to the government for all the transportation done, for it must be at the same rates charged to private parties. But it is not improbable that the commercial earnings of the roads have now reached their maximum limit. Other lines are projected and in course of construction across the continent. When completed, competition will be sharp and through rates must be reduced. The companies will then do well if they can make up from a development of local business the losses which will result from competition on through business. For this development being largely in connection with the mineral deposits of the country must be fostered by cheap local rates as most of the ores are of too low grade to bear high rates of transportation. Add to this the competition of local roads for all classes of business, and it is not unreasonable to believe that the commercial earnings of the roads have reached their maximum.

EMIGRATION TO THE EASTERN COUNTRY

A letter from Walla Walla to THE OREGONIAN, dated 21st contains the following:

THE TIDE OF IMMIGRATION

So far as this broad section is concerned doubling on its track not westward but eastward the course of empire is taking its way. Never has that tide set in earlier or stronger in this country than this season. And every company of arrivals only heralds the coming of another. Every hotel and boarding house in this city is full to the overflow. We would say to the coming tribes "To your tents, O immigrants." Bring your sheltering canvas with you. You will then have better ventilation and more elbow room. There is not a house to be had for rent in the city and the only lumber to be had for building purposes is that which is imported in small quantities from Portland. The great scarcity of the past season will doubtless prove an incentive to our lumber dealers to secure a good supply for the future.

The land office here is daily besieged by applicants for quarter sections and numerous expeditions are made into the upper country by parties in search of choice localities. With many it is doubtless a sort of semi romantic spirit which leads them to secure a big farm and not a taste for agriculture. When they have chopped down a score or two of trees or tumbled over the plow or under the harrow a few times, the landscape may not look quite so charming as it does now. Those who really mean work and know something about farming will without any doubt, do well.

The Fair Dollar Criticised.

The new silver dollar successor to the "dollar of our dads," has already been paid in at the New York custom house for duties. The *Sun* of that city doesn't like its appearance, and says:

Some dishonest faces are fair to look upon but the new silver dollar of ninety cents has not even the poor merit of beauty. The eagle has the beak of a crow the wings of a six months pullet, and the attitude of a camp meeting preacher in the act of exhortation. The Goddess of Liberty is burdened with from forty five to fifty per cent too much chin. The only appropriate feature of the alleged dollar is the sharp prominence given to the motto "In God we Trust." To no other source can holders of the coin look for the ten cents out of which it cheats them.

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DEBASEMENT OF COINAGE

In the *Popular Science Monthly* for March there is a very interesting article on this subject It presents important features both of the scientific and historical sides of the money question First the writer utterly explodes the shallow notion that the stamp of government gives value to money A stamp on a piece of metal works no alteration in it any more than does the label on a bolt of muslin showing the width and number of yards convert it into something other than cotton cloth Coins command other commodities by the amount of pure metal in them the silver dollar buys just as much food or clothing as would so many grains of silver in any other shape and the stamp whether it show the features of Kaiser William or the Goddess of Liberty does not increase its purchasing power except to the very slight degree which is the measure of the convenience of having it converted from bullion into coin at public cost And the cost of coining at our mint is reckoned at scarcely one per cent Coins therefore have no mysterious property of value They are simply stamped bullion and their value is regulated by the quantity of pure metal they contain

The loose views concerning money now largely prevailing in our country are akin to the unscientific and grotesque ideas which [illegible] debasement was the notion always that the magic of the government's stamp could give money an actual value and make it pass in exchange for other commodities, In all ages there has been a delusion more or less prevalent like that which now possesses our advocates of irredeemable paper currency who insist that government can make 'absolute money' by stamping its fiat even on the cheapest possible material The French unit of value up to the reign of Charlemagne we are told was the *livre* containing exactly a pound of pure silver But the standard was successively violated, till the *livre* by the time of the great revolution contained less than a seventy eighth part of its former quantity of silver In 1220 the Spanish *maravedi* weighed 84 grains of gold and was equal to about $3 50 But it was debased in successive reigns by such fools as Philip II, till it became a small copper coin valued at one third of a cent China in the eleventh century before our era had coined money, but that country has never been able to comprehend and enforce the principles on which currency should be based It has now no coinage that can properly be so called The sole measure of value and legal tender of the country is the well-known coin of cast brass with square hole in the middle It is valued at about a mill and a half of our money and has to be strung in lots of 1 000 to be computed with any ease. Our trade dollar goes there simply as stamped bullion

England's coinage has been debased less than that of any of the older countries Henry VIII did, indeed adulterate and degrade the coin to a considerable extent but it was restored under his successors Those who have read Macaulay's history will remember the remarkable account of the pitiful effort of James II after he lost the English throne, to coin money in Ireland out of pewter and gun metal and how his loyal Irish subjects suffered by his worthless money All these and other instances that might be given, were simply examples of ignorant effort to make debased coin pass for just as much as good

The relation of these facts to the present situation in our country will be apparent for the arguments against restoring a depreciated coinage and degrading an established one are precisely the same There has been an unprecedented fall in the price of silver within the last few years, and there are no signs of an advance We are simply taking it on ourselves to establish a new standard on a lower basis Prices after a while will adjust themselves to it of course but the burden and loss will fall upon labor The bloated bond holder, living in the money centers and possessing full information, will have ample time to hedge against losses and get from under Silver dollars will be detached from the support of gold just as soon as they become abundant enough for payment of duties, and then we shall be on the 90 cent basis or whatever basis may be indicated by the bullion value of silver Debasement of our coinage is thus a certainty Our statesmen have risen nobly superior to the experience of a thousand years

DEALING WITH THE MONOPOLY

Throughout the country universal attention is drawn to the debate in the senate on the Pacific railroads. The press speaks with one voice in support of the judiciary committee's bill No newspaper, so far as we have seen, has attempted to support the pretensions and claims of the corporations, and none that has spoken has failed to condemn the Mitchell Dorsey bill The New York *Times* says the companies must now give substantial assurance that the just claims of the government shall be satisfied and the *World* declares that the sympathies of all honest men and good citizens go heartily with Senator Thurman in his able and earnest presentation of the cause of the people as against the arrogant corporations Bayard, another of the ablest men of the senate, supporting Thurman's bill to bring the railroads to an account, says what the government wants is the money the companies owe and a provision which will assure its payment by the time it is due Edmunds, chairman of the judiciary committee, was announced for a speech on the same side some days ago but owing to an indisposition he was obliged to defer it All representatives of the press at Washington agree that the corporations have small chance of carrying their point this time Congress will assert its lawful power to control the corporations it has created Such senators as Edmunds Thurman Bayard and Davis men of highest ability as jurists have no doubt either of the right or the duty of congress in the premises To point a contrast it is only necessary to observe that Dorsey Mitchell and Matthews are the senators who are trying to carry the question against them

It cannot be denied that the business has been done for Oregon in this railroad matter with much skill and still more effect A point has been reached which makes it very certain that we shall have no railroad The Mitchell scheme has been played off successfully against the only thing that was possible One measure is before the house and another before the senate. The latter is a visionary thing but it serves its purpose well when it bars the progress of the other and practicable measure, and prevents any result So far it has been managed handsomely The Union and Central Pacific could not desire anything the measures necessary to secure a road for the northwest will fall between the houses of congress The business has now about reached the stage predicted by THE OREGONIAN several months ago There will still be an occasional squeak till after the election and then the whole thing will go quietly to sleep for good and all Even the dullest person in Oregon will then begin to see after rubbing his eyes pretty vigorously how the state has been done out of a railroad

Gen Boynton Washington correspondent of the Cincinnati *Gazette* who is a personal friend of President Hayes and supports his administration attempts an analysis of the causes that have produced the estrangement between the president and the leaders of his party Boynton regards Hayes as an honest earnest man of strong will and generous impulses and an unflinching Republican who has the welfare of the country at heart But his great error says this critic lay in his method of attempting a reform of the civil service for it was not pronounced and consistent enough to attach to his cause the great masses of the people while it sufficiently disregarded the views and purposes of professional politicians to make them his bitter enemies This is an acute estimate of the president and his policy Hayes has lacked the force to do thoroughly the work which he saw ought to be done and therefore has succeeded in satisfying nobody A president of positive convictions as he undoubtedly is must have the courage energy and resources to carry out those convictions Then though he may estrange some, he will win many to promising policy secures no supporters

It is pointed out by eastern journals that the difference between the bullion value and the legal tender value of the silver dollar will enable enterprising persons in other countries to make dollars for us at a profit and counterfeit dollars in every respect as good as genuine are quite likely to appear This would be unusual counterfeiting and yet because the spurious dollar would have as much silver in it as the genuine counterfeiting would be tolerably respectable The dollar could easily be made so as to defy detection and might therefore after our dollar has begun to go to Europe and come back be imported with the genuine in large quantities In this way Europe might make a very handsome profit by coining money for us the counterfeiters proceeding on the obvious principle that there was no harm in putting short weight dollars as good as our own upon a people who legalize short weight coins

The murder of the Chisolm family in Mississippi will never be avenged A committee of the Mississippi legislature which has been investigating the outrages in several counties of the state reports that acts of lawless violence occur and that the utmost effort to stop them has so far failed The committee attributes the outrages to a spirit of agrarianism resulting from the ill feeling which has arisen in consequence of the property of a large number of people passing out of their hands under mortgages. The Jackson *Times* says the outrages are the result of secret political organizations by which the Democrats carried the state in 1875 and it does not believe that the present members of the clubs ever possessed homes to pass away under mortgages

Hayes is placid enough, but would be something less ridiculous if his talk did not indicate an impression on his own part that he is a very Superior Being and therefore more apt to be right than everybody else He doesn't help the matter either by comparing himself with Lincoln His talk shows how greatly he is in favor with himself and discovers the secret of his constant serenity

Washington Irving seems to have been the first who used the expression, "the almighty dollar It has been suggested that instead of the inscription now stamped on our coins "in God we trust there be substituted especially for the new silver dollar the words "*The* God we trust This would give new point and force to Irving's almighty dollar

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Within the past year important improvements have been added and no trouble will be spared in keeping the REMINGTON ahead of all competitors
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OR
INFORMATION FOR THOSE ABOUT TO ENTER THE ACADEMY.
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This Book should be read by every one who contemplates entering West Point

HACHENEY & BENO,
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HAVING PURCHASED THE ENTIRE STOCK [illegible]
Please call and examine our goods and prices
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STREET NOTICE
MERCHANTS and OTHERS are HEREBY NOTIfied that the Ordinance forbidding throwing or depositing paper straw or rubbish of any kind in the streets will be strictly enforced on and after the 23d instant.
D E BUDD
Supt of Streets.

DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, &C

THE PEOPLE'S HOUSE.

Important Announcement.

SPRING GOODS!

IN ADDRESSING THE PUBLIC ON THIS OCcasion we do so with more confidence than at any time since our advent in business Our career in business has been singularly successful having attained the degree of enviable notoriety for straightforward dealing selling goods at a slight [illegible] best selected and the most comprehensive ever before offered to the people of Oregon—bought on the most advantageous terms and embracing every line in the trade

In disposing of this immense Stock our conduct shall be guided by the same principles as heretofore—**Honest dealing and the Smallest Living Profits**

Our patrons embrace a large number of the Northwestern population and in sending [illegible] our

SPRING GREETING

we hope to see or hear from all of them and as many new ones as wish to avail themselves of this opportunity of purchasing goods [illegible] ever before offered in the Metropolis of the North west

Our facilities this year have been peculiarly favorable for purchasing having through our friends of the Bay City had the chance of picking up special lines suitable for this market at prices for which manufacturers could not begin to produce them This in a great measure is caused by the almost general stagnation of business in the leading markets of the United States and more directly affecting the Pacific States from the hard times they have had and are having in San Francisco The consequence is the merchants there must unload their heavy stocks and in many cases at a great sacrifice

Fully realizing the situation our MR KERRON launched out and purchased an

IMMENSE STOCK!

More than in ordinary times he would have been justified in buying but the low prices he obtained them at will enable us to spread them over this State and the Territories at such a reduction on old time prices as will convince the most skeptical that we mean business and business we

Must and Will Do!

It would be useless attempting to give a list of Prices Space does not warrant it, But we shall forward samples to any of our country friends who send for them

The public in dealing with us can place implicit faith in the fact that the lowest prices are asked All Goods are marked in plain figures from which there can be no deviation Thus placing the inexperienced on equal terms with the experienced in the purchase of goods

Our country friends would do well to reap the advantage of an early inspection of our Warehouse It is incumbent on us to make room We are crowded and we must move goods off to make way for fresh contracts to arrive by every steamer during all April

We have advices of a shipment of Goods from Glasgow direct now fully due and daily expected

COMPRISING THE FOLLOWING

4-4 and 6-4 Aberdeen Winceys
White and Self Moleskins.
Corduroys.
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The Most Complete Stock of
CLOTHING,
FURNISHING GOODS!
Cloths and Hats,
IN OREGON AT
FISHEL & ROBERTS,
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OUR
Spring Stock of Clothing
IS SUPERIOR
To any Stock ever imported to this State, and being bought from first hands, we are enabled to
SELL AT BOTTOM PRICES.

OUR
STOCK of CLOTHS
Is Elegant, and comprises all
LATEST NOVELTIES!
The Tailoring Department
Being under charge of the
VERY BEST CUTTER
We can Guarantee our Customers
Perfect Satisfaction

OUR
STOCK OF HATS
Is complete having received all the
Late Styles direct from Manufacturers,
And comprise all the NOBBY GOODS out
Spring Style of Silk Hats just out.

We shall be pleased to show our customers the most complete Stock in Oregon and they can be convinced that the prices are the very lowest

DRY GOODS, MILLINERY, ETC.

NEW
THIS DAY!
AN ELEGANT ASSORTMENT
OF THE
VERY LATEST
FRENCH BOURETTES
FOR OVER-DRESSES.
Just Imported from Paris

A Very Large
AND
Choice Assortment
IN
LADIES
AND
CHILDREN'S
FANCY COLORED
HOSIERY!
ALSO,
Rare Novelties
IN
SILVER FILIGREE
JEWELRY!
&c., &c.
JOHN CRAN & CO.

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Regular Sales of Real Estate Furniture and General Merchandise TUESDAYS and FRIDAYS at 10 o'clock A M

PEREMPTORY SALE.
We will sell at our Auction Salesroom on
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At 10 o'clock A M
FURNITURE
4 Cottage Bedroom Suits
Spring Mattresses Tables, Chairs
Crockery Glassware, &c
ALSO
Balance of Stock of Retail Grocery Store
ALSO
25 cases Coal Oil
200 bxs C O Soap
25 cases Spices
100 bxs Candles
GILMAN & IRVIN, Auctioneers

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Next Cor Front and Washington Sts
REGULAR SALES—Wednesdays and Saturdays
HORSE SALES—At Goddard's Stables every Tuesday at 2 P M
WEDNESDAY, 27TH, AT 10 A M
At Salesroom
REGULAR SALE.
[illegible] Shoes, &c.
ALSO
10 tons Dairy Salt,
100 bxs C O Soap
50 mats S I Sugar,
CREIGHTON & STEARNS, Auctioneers.

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THE LADY LAMPSON.
J. P. DAVIES & CO.
Have received Instructions from
Wm Charles, Esq., Chief Factor Hudson Bay Company,
By order of Lloyd's Agent, to sell by
PUBLIC AUCTION
For account of whom it may concern
At our Salesroom, Wharf Street, on
Wednesday, April 3 1878.
AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON
The A 1 British Barque
"LADY LAMPSON,"
412 Tons Register,
As she now lies off Laing's Shipyard Victoria Harbor
TOGETHER WITH
Masts, Yards, Standing and Running Rigging Sails Anchors, Chains, Compasses
ALSO--BOATS, &c.
CATALOGUES containing full particulars will be issued in a few days

The "LADY LAMPSON"
Was built according to Lloyds at Sunderland by J & G Mills, Registered 1869 Topped and Copper Fastened and classed A 1 for ten years

Length overall		131 feet inches
Breadth of Beam		25 feet 5 inches
Depth of Hold		17 feet 4 inches

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TERMS OF SALE
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IN
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AT
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New American Prints, 15 yds. for $1 00
New English Prints, 12½c per yd
New Mohairs, Camel's Hair Goods, and Berges,
New line of DRESS GOODS, at 25c pr yd
Fine Quality of Black Cashmeres, from 75c to $1 50 per yd.
Colored Cashmeres and Silks to match.
New Ruchings, Bows, Fringes, Embroideries, Hdk'fs, Ribbons, &c.
A large stock of Ladies' and Children's Hosiery, in stripe and plain colors
Ladies' genuine Balbriggan Hose, $2 50 per box.
A full line of CORSETS.

A FULL STOCK OF
DOMESTIC GOODS.
Bleached Sheeting, 2½ yds wide, 25c per yd.
Bleached Table Damask, 60c per yd.
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A full assortment of Bedspreads, Napkins and Towels.
Cotton and Wool Flannels all qualities and prices.
Full line of GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS
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Orders left at the Franklin Bookstore [illegible] J K Gill & Co's bookstore [illegible] will meet with prompt attention
LESSONS GIVEN IN VOCAL MUSIC
[illegible]

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CONTRACTORS FOR STREET SPRINKLING [illegible] can make reasonable terms [illegible] Water by applying at the office
THE PORTLAND WATER CO
March 23, 1878. mh23d6t

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Regular Sale Days, Wednesdays and Saturdays.
WILL PURCHASE AND SELL REAL ESTATE Merchandise, Furniture, etc.
A general assortment of Merchandise at private sale.

Regular Auction Sale
THIS DAY,
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 27, 1878,
At 10 o'clock A. M.,
Furniture, Carpets,
Dry Goods, Groceries,
Boots and Shoes
20 doz Ladies' & Misses' [illegible]
Pictures Mirrors, and a variety of [illegible] chandise
OSCAR KILBOURN, Auctioneer

WANTS.

WANTS TO BUY,
TWO OR THREE LAND WARRANTS [illegible] on S M LYON the Broker, [illegible] New Market Theater Portland, Ogn.

WANTED.
SECOND HAND FURNITURE, FOR [illegible] highest price will be paid. Address [illegible] 808.

TO LET.

FOR RENT.
A CHEERFUL AND WELL FURNISHED room with Dressing Room [illegible] tached Inquire northwest corner [illegible] streets

FOR RENT.
A FURNISHED ROOM IN A HARD [illegible] house on Madison street first house [illegible] mh14d2w

GOOD ROOMS WITH OR WITHOUT [illegible] on Second street west side, [illegible] mon can be had at moderate rates, [illegible] borhood and conveniently locality.

NOTICE.
FOR RENT — ONE-FOURTH OF Market Stalls Nos. 1, 2, 3 4 5, [illegible] First street, now occupied by [illegible] ton Apply to ALEX. P ANKENY.

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A LARGE NICELY FURNISHED [illegible] trally located. Address Box [illegible]

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE IMMEDIATELY
A RESTAURANT AND CHOP HOUSE running order situated in the [illegible] ter of the city Never has such [illegible] offered in Portland Cause for [illegible] Great French Exhibition Address [illegible] mh26d6t

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A GOOD DWELLING AND FULL [illegible] improvements beautifully [illegible] $1 700 Apply to M T Box 761, [illegible] mh19d1m

FOR SALE AND RENT
FOR SALE AT MILWAUKIE A [illegible] an acre of Land one half Orchard, [illegible] For rent at Portland on a very [illegible] Lots in Block 58 Carter's Addition, [illegible] and 133 Caruthers Addition. [illegible] lot, One Dollar Apply to JOHN [illegible] Milwaukie

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A CHOICE LOT, 50x100 [illegible] with TWO HOUSES, [illegible] corner lot street improvements [illegible] of GILMAN & IRVIN, auctioneers

FOR SALE OR [illegible]
A RARE CHANCE TO SECURE [illegible] in the healthy city of [illegible] Southern California, to wit: [illegible] feet square with a fine Residence [illegible] rooms, 75 fruit trees, 100 grape vines [illegible] and outhouses Price only [illegible] this property for a Farm in [illegible] ton Territory, that is worth [illegible] timber farm is not desired. [illegible] View of house and other [illegible] F WISE Portland Oregon

ARMSTRONG FARM [illegible]
506 ACRES BEING THE [illegible] tion of this well known [illegible] (the original Homestead tract [illegible] 3 miles from Dayton, Lafayette, [illegible] Minnville House large Barn [illegible] ments Title perfect and [illegible] per acre one third cash [illegible] 10 per cent interest Apply to [illegible] Agent for owners 32 First street [illegible]

PRIVATE BOARD

PRIVATE BOARD [illegible]
FURNISHED ROOMS WITH [illegible] on Salmon street, between [illegible] opposite the Court House

MISCELLANEOUS

P. G. STEWART,
AT F A. EFFINGER'S, [illegible] son streets, will
CLEAN AND REPAIR [illegible]
In any part of Portland East of [illegible]

MICHAEL O'HOLLAN, FORMERLY [illegible] Francisco will hear something [illegible] tage by sending his address to [illegible] Francisco Ryan is now free

GO TO RILEY
TO GET YOUR SEWING MACHINE [illegible] ed No matter what kind of [illegible] His work is guaranteed for [illegible] prices are low At the office of [illegible] improved Home Shuttle Sewing [illegible] Third and Alder streets, Portland.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL
I WANT THE LADIES TO [illegible] have removed to Third, bet. [illegible] ferson streets where
Hat Bleaching, Altering [illegible] Feather Dyeing and [illegible]
will be conducted as heretofore.
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OREGON SCENERY
OUR MAGNIFICENT COLUMBIA [illegible] Oregon Scenery, unsurpassed [illegible] beauty has been Photographed [illegible] form, and placed in the hands of [illegible] HAN for sale at his Art Gallery [illegible] These views when sent to our [illegible] never fail to excite their wonder [illegible] Call and make selections.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING
THE ANNUAL MEETING OF [illegible] holders of the Oregon [illegible] ing Company will be held at the [illegible] corner First and Yamhill streets, [illegible] on Wednesday, March 27, 1878, [illegible] for the purpose of electing a [illegible] for the ensuing year, and transacting [illegible] business as may properly come before [illegible] ers meeting WILLIAMS [illegible]
Portland Or March 16 1878.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING
THE ANNUAL MEETING OF [illegible] holders of the Monumental [illegible] Company will be held at the office [illegible] Portland Oregon on Friday, [illegible] o'clock P M The meeting [illegible] been heretofore given to be [illegible] poned the business for which it [illegible] considered at the annual meeting [illegible] transfer of Stock will be closed [illegible]
mr1d1f C D FOLGER [illegible]

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FORWARDING & COMMISSION
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RATES REDUCED
Drayage, per ton [illegible]
Storage and Forwarding, per [illegible]
A large Fire-Proof Warehouse [illegible]
Also, dealer in
DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, [illegible]
Hardware and
GENERAL MERCHANDISE
(Established in 1865)
[illegible] Mark Goods care J H K U
[illegible]

Sixteen Different V[illegible]
[illegible] stamp, for circular and [illegible]
LUTHER [illegible]

Sugars and R[illegible]
EX BARKENTINE JANE A FALKENBERG from Honolulu direct—
3 300 KEGS ISLAND SUGARS
Assorted grades, [illegible]
470 BAGS HONOLULU [illegible]
Now landing and will be offered [illegible]
mh1d1m

The Daily Oregonian.

WEDNESDAY MORNING MARCH 27 1878

CITY.

A LIVELY CHASE—LATELY ARRESTED—Mrs Gately of whose domestic infelicity mention was made in yesterday's paper swore out a warrant for the arrest of her husband John Gately charging [illegible] threats against her [illegible] and yesterday the warrant was placed in the hands of Constable [illegible] Williams who at once proceeded to the residence of Gately which is situated on the Canyon road Before the constable reached the house Gately [illegible] the object of his call and correctly [illegible] Johnny who is a plucky little fellow [illegible] and soon began to gain was swifter on foot [illegible] Williams thinking to frighten him drew his revolver and discharged the weapon in the air It only had the effect to accelerate the speed of Gately however Finding he could not overtake him in a fair [illegible] advantage of a "cut off" in strategy He took advantage of a [illegible] the thick underbrush and came up very close to the fleeing Gately to whom he called out to halt or he would send a bullet through him Yielding to fright and exhaustion Gately halted and threw up his hands He was at once arrested by Williams and brought down to the city Justice Davis held him to appear in the sum of $50 and the defendant, on furnishing bonds was released from custody The case will come up for trial at 10 o'clock A. M today

DANGEROUS SPORT—The warm season of the year has arrived and a strong temptation is offered the young and rising generation to indulge in a favorite pastime—wade in the water Every day during the past week, a number of urchins ranging in age from 4 to 10 years have been in the habit of playing in the water at the foot of Stark street These little rascals will roll up their trowsers and wading out as far as they dare stand there until the waves from some passing steamer chase them to the shore They often engage in a childish scuffle and endeavor to push each other out into deep water When the ferry boat is approaching the slip these boys will stand out in the water and wait until the boat is almost on them before they will stir to get out of the way Now all such sport is quite dangerous and a summary stop ought to be put to it Yesterday afternoon some half a dozen or more little fellows—several apparently not over three years of age were engaged in the business mentioned above Parents ought to keep a sharp lookout for their children and prohibit them from indulging in sport which is so dangerous. If not stopped some of these days we shall be called upon to chronicle the drowning or mangling of some of these reckless and thoughtless little boys A word to the wise should suffice. "Birch tea" in mild doses would have a very strong tendency to restrain these urchins and cause them to give up such hazardous sport

ABOLISH OR ENFORCE IT—And still the bicycle and tricycle mania continues among the youths of Portland to the no small annoyance of pedestrians There is an ordinance in full force against using the sidewalks as a place for the cultivation of "leg muscle" but it is neither observed nor enforced Small boys are daily seen trundling along the sidewalks at a rapid rate making those on foot dodge here and there to avoid a collision. This thing appears to be getting slightly monotonous and it is high time that the practice should be checked It is hardly reasonable to suppose that many of the smaller boys who indulge in the practice know that they are violating an ordinance and subjecting themselves to arrest and fine, but their parents who are aware of such a law should caution them against it. Only yesterday a young man who, from appearances had attained his majority was seen coming down Fourth street on a bicycle at a very rapid rate making pedestrians give him a wide berth Unless this thing is stopped, the police propose to make a few examples before long All will readily admit that the ordinance is a good one Either it should be abolished or enforced to the letter

GONE TO JAIL—The Celestial who was arrested last Saturday charged with the commission of the unnatural crime of sodomy, was committed to the county jail Monday. He waived an examination and was held to await the action of the grand jury in the sum of $600 When first arrested several of the prisoner's countrymen manifested considerable interest in his behalf They came to the jail and made some inquiries about the man After they were apprised of the nature of the crime with which the prisoner was charged, and had held a short conversation with him, they all left the jail shaking their heads in a significant manner as much as to say that he was a bad fellow The prisoner made some efforts to secure bonds, and was allowed until Monday Failing to secure bondsmen he was committed to the county jail where he will be afforded an opportunity of gazing meditatively between remorseless iron bars until the grand jury shall meet at the June term of the state circuit court John will have a long time to board at the expense of the taxpayers of this county

P S F SOCIETY—Yesterday the Portland Seaman's Friend Society held a business meeting at the office of the O S N Company Votes were taken on the following subjects Acknowledging with thanks the receipt of $100 worth of Bibles from the American Bible Society New York appointing a committee to secure a suitable site for location of mariners home and church authorizing Chaplain Stubbs to collect subscriptions for church and home to be paid over to the treasurer Mr I Quackenbush appointing a committee to decide upon and arrange for a Fourth of July excursion from Portland to some point or points on the Columbia river, proceeds to benefit this undertaking

MORALITY OF PORTLAND—No arrests were made by the police from early Monday forenoon up to 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, so that when court was called yesterday not a solitary prisoner graced the "anxious seat." Such an occurrence is very unusual and worthy of note It is the first time since last July that court has been called and no one to try How moral Portland has become! To what cause can the change be attributed? It is nevertheless very gratifying to the moral, law abiding taxpayers of this municipality.

M E SOCIABLE—A correspondent writing from Eugene City under date of the 25th says "Your correspondent has been informed that the M E sociable given at Eugene City for the benefit of the M E church of that place was a very enjoyable as well as successful affair The art gallery presided over by Miss Rose Goldsmith Miss Adler and Miss Maggie Grey was highly appreciated and contributed much towards effecting the desired result The sum realized was $55.

SUDDENLY DEAF AND DUMB—Mr Samuel Holmes brother of I Holmes who keeps a grocery [illegible] at the corner of Second and Taylor streets [illegible] has not been seen or heard [illegible] about 4 or 5 o'clock on the morning [illegible] Mr S Holmes is entirely deaf [illegible] able to hear any sound [illegible] him [illegible] received by his brother I Holmes [illegible]

STREET IMPROVEMENTS—The season of the year has arrived [illegible] street improvements are [illegible] by the [illegible] taken time [illegible] thorized [illegible] and have an streets [illegible] of a number of [illegible] of macadamizing [illegible] Stark [illegible] Washington and

[illegible] Mr F M [illegible] very painful [illegible] just [illegible] was an [illegible] thought

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THIS DAY.

ESDAY, MARCH 27, 1878,
At 10 o clock A M

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AR KILBOURN, Auctioneer.

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WANTS TO BUY,

THREE LAND WARRANTS CALL
LYON the Broker next door to the
Theater Portland Ogn mhl6

WANTED

LAND FURNITURE FOR WHICH
price will be paid Address P O box
... Below

TO LET.

FOR RENT.

FUL AND WELL FURNISHED BED-
with Dressing Room and Closet at
quire northwest corner Fifth and Clay
m25d2t

FOR RENT,

HED ROOM IN A HARD FINISHED
Madison street first house from First,
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OMS WITH OR WITHOUT BOARD,
ond street west side next door to Sal
had at moderate rates Good neigh
conveniently locality mh12tf

NOTICE.

T — ONE-FOURTH OF CENTRAL
Stalls Nos. 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 fronting on
now occupied by Spalding and Bu-
to ALEX P ANKENY mh7dtf

TO RENT

NICELY FURNISHED ROOM CEN-
located. Address Box 50 P O mh6tf

FOR SALE.

SALE IMMEDIATELY,

RANT AND CHOP HOUSE IN GOOD
g order situated in the very best quar
y Never has such a bargain been
rtland Cause for sale—visiting the
n Exhibition Address R, this office.
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LLING HOUSE FOR SALE.

WELLING AND FULL BLOCK WITH
ments; beautifully located Price
ly to M T Box 84 Portland, Oregon,
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OR SALE AND RENT

E AT MILWAUKIE A HOUSE WITH
of Land one half Orchard. Price $
Portland on a very long lease, all the
k 58 Carter's Addition and Blocks
rnthers Addition. Monthly rent of
llar Apply to JOHN SELLWOOD
mh12tf

REAL ESTATE.

E LOT, 50x100 FEET TOGETHER
TWO HOUSES in a central location
street improvements made Enquire
MERVIN auctioneers. mh8tf

SALE OR EXCHANGE.

CHANCE TO SECURE A FINE PLACE
healthy city of Santa Barbara, in
alifornia, to wit ½ Block of Land 25
with a fine Rustic Cottage with six
uit trees 160 grape vines, lot of flowers
es. Price only $3 000 Will exchange
y for a Farm in this State or Washing
y, that is worth from $1 500 to $2,000 a
is not desired. For Photographic
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rtland, Oregon mh 23d1w

TRONG FARM FOR SALE.

ES BEING THE REMAINING POR-
n of this well known improved Farm,
Homestead tract) in Yamhill county
Dayton Lafayette St. Joseph and Mc
House, large Barn and other improve
e perfect and guaranteed Price $
e third cash balance on long time at
interest Apply to E G HUGHES
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RIVATE BOARDING.

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ED ROOMS WITH BOARD APPLY
mon street, between Fourth and Fifth
Court House mh10

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A. EFFINGER'S, FRONT & MORRI-
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Ryan is now free

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is guaranteed for three years and his
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NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

THE LADIES TO KNOW THAT
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ching, Altering and Pressing,
ther Dyeing and Curling,
ducted as heretofore MRS. YOUNG.

OREGON SCENERY.

GNIFICENT COLUMBIA RIVER AND
Scenery, unsurpassed in grandeur or
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placed in the hands of W T SHANAHAN
e, at his Art Gallery on Morrison street
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o excite their wonder and admiration
ake selections. mh6tf

CKHOLDERS' MEETING.

NNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCK-
of the Oregon Furniture Manufactur-
ny will be held at the Company's office,
t and Yamhill streets, Portland, Oregon,
sday, March 27, 1878, at 7 o'clock P M,
rpose of electing a Board of Directors
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may properly come before a stockholder
WILLIAM KAPUS, Sec'y
Or March 16 1878 mh19td

CKHOLDERS' MEETING.

NNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCK-
s of the Monumental Silver Mining
ill be held at the office of the company
Oregon on Friday, April 5th 1878, at
M. The meeting of which notice has
efore given to be held March 5 is post
business for which it was called will be
at the annual meeting. Books for the
Stock will be closed April 1st 1878.
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CITY.

A LIVELY CHASE—GATELY ARRESTED—Mrs Gately, of whose domestic infelicity mention was made in yesterday's paper swore out a warrant for the arrest of her husband John Gately, charging him with having uttered threats against her life. Complaint was made in Justice Davis' court, and yesterday the warrant placed in the hands of Constable J W Williams, who at once proceeded to the residence of Gately, which is situated on the Canyon road Before the constable reached the house Gately observed him approaching and, correctly divining the object of his call, fled for the woods. Johnny who is a plucky little fellow, immediately gave chase Gately was swifter on foot, and soon began to gain on his pursuer Williams, thinking to frighten him, drew his revolver and discharged the weapon in the air It only had the effect to accelerate the speed of Gately however Finding he could not overtake him in a fair race, Johnny had recourse to strategy He took advantage of a "cut off" in the thick underbrush and came up very close to the fleeing Gately, to whom he called out to halt or he would send a bullet through him. Yielding to fright and exhaustion Gately halted and threw up his hands He was at once arrested by Williams and brought down to the city Justice Davis held him to appear in the sum of $50 and the defendant not furnishing bonds, was released from custody. The case will come up for trial at 10 o'clock A M to-day

DANGEROUS SPORT —The warm season of the year has arrived, and a strong temptation is offered the young and rising generation to indulge in a favorite pastime—wade in the river. Every day during the past week a number of urchins ranging in age from 4 to 10 years have been in the habit of playing in the water at the foot of Stark street These little rascals will roll up their trowsers and wade out as far as they dare stand there until the waves from some passing steamer bear them to the shore. They often engage in a childish scuffle and endeavor to push each other out into deep water When the ferry boat is approaching the slip these boys will stand out in the water and wait until the boat is almost on them before they will stir to get out of the way. Now all such sport is quite dangerous, and a summary stop ought to be put to it. Yesterday afternoon some half a dozen or more little fellows—several apparently not over three years of age were engaged in the business mentioned above Parents ought to keep a sharp lookout for their children and prohibit them from indulging in sport which is so dangerous If not stopped, some of these days, we shall be called upon to chronicle the drowning or mangling of some of these reckless and thoughtless little ones. A word to the wise should suffice "Birch tea," in mild doses, would have a very strong tendency to restrain these urchins and cause them to give up such hazardous sport.

ABOLISH, OR ENFORCE IT!—And still the bicycle and tri-cycle mania continues among the youths of Portland, to the no small annoyance of pedestrians. There is an ordinance in full force against using the sidewalks as a place for the cultivation of "leg muscle" but it is neither observed nor enforced Small boys are daily seen trundling along the sidewalks at a rapid rate, making those on foot dodge here and there to avoid a collision This thing appears to be getting slightly monotonous, and it is high time that the practice should be checked. It is hardly reasonable to suppose that many of the little boys who indulge in the practice know that they are violating an ordinance and subject themselves to arrest and fine but their parents, who are aware of such a law, should caution them against it, Only yesterday a young man, who, from appearance, had attained his majority, was seen riding down Fourth street on a bicycle at a very rapid rate, making pedestrians give him a wide berth. Unless this thing is stopped, the police propose to make a few examples before long. All will readily admit that the ordinance is a good one. Either it should be repealed or enforced to the letter

COMMITTED.—The Celestial who was arrested last Saturday, charged with the commission of the unnatural crime of sodomy was committed to the county jail Monday after the examination and was held to await the action of the grand jury in the sum of $ When first arrested several of the prisoner's countrymen manifested considerable interest in his behalf They came to the jail and made some inquiries about the man After they were apprised of the nature of the crime with which the prisoner was charged and had held a short conversation with him, they all left, all shaking their heads in a significant manner, as much as to say that he was a bad fellow. The prisoner made some efforts to secure bonds, and was allowed until Monday. Failing to secure bondsmen he was committed to the county jail where he will be afforded an opportunity of gazing meditatively between remorseless iron bars until the grand jury shall meet at the June term of the state circuit court. John will have a long time to board at the expense of the taxpayers of this county.

P. F. F. SOCIETY.—Yesterday the Portland Seamen's Friend Society held a business meeting at the office of the O. S. N. Company Action were taken on the following subjects: Acknowledging with thanks the receipt of $ worth of Bibles from the American Bible Society, New York, appointing a committee to secure a suitable site for location of Seamen's Home and church, authorizing Thomas Stubbs to collect subscriptions for reading-room and home, to be paid over to the treasurer, Mr. E. Quackenbush, appointing a committee to decide upon and arrange for a Fourth of July excursion from Portland to some point or points on the Columbia river in order to benefit this undertaking.

MORALITY OF PORTLAND —No arrests were made by the police from early Monday forenoon up to 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon so that when court was called yesterday not a solitary prisoner graced the "anxious seat." Such an occurrence is very unusual and worthy of note. It is the first time since last July that court has been called and no one to be tried. How moral Portland has become! To what cause can the change be attributed? It is nevertheless, very gratifying to the moral, law-abiding taxpayers of this municipality

MUM SOCIABLE.—A correspondent writing from Eugene City under date of the 26th says: "Your correspondent has been informed that the mum sociable given at Eugene City, for the benefit of the M E church of that place was a very enjoyable as well as successful affair The art gallery presided over by Miss Rosie Goldsmith, Miss Adler and Miss Maggie Grey, was highly appreciated and contributed much towards effecting the desired result The sum realized was $58

SUDDEN DISAPPEARANCE. — Mr Samuel Holmes, brother of J Holmes who keeps a grocery store at the corner of Second and Taylor streets, in this city, has not been seen or heard from since about 4 or 5 o clock on the morning of February 9th Mr S Holmes is entirely deaf, not being able to hear any sound. Any intelligence concerning him will be thankfully received by his brother J Holmes, of this city

STREET IMPROVEMENTS —The season of the year has arrived when street improvements are in order Our City Dads have taken time by the traditional "forelock" and have authorized the improvement of a number of streets in the city The work of macadamizing G, B and Taylor streets has already commenced, and similar improvements are shortly to be made to Salmon, Washington and

THUMB CRUSHED —Mr. P Minto an employe of the O & C R R Co met with a very painful accident yesterday while at work at the car shops. He was attempting to adjust some machinery when his thumb was caught and badly mangled It is thought amputation will be necessary

DISCHARGED.—Judge Shattuck after hearing the argument in the matter of granting a writ of habeas corpus in the case of Peter Morris who it was alleged was illegally held a prisoner in the county jail, allowed the same. Morris was released at once from custody.

A GOOD ORDINANCE —For a long time merchants and others doing business in the city have been in the habit of throwing waste paper and other trash on the streets At the last meeting of the common council an ordinance was passed prohibiting persons from throwing any waste article out on the street Street Commissioner Budd has been around for the past few days seeing that the ordinance is strictly enforced Since the passage of the municipal regulation the streets have presented a much neater appearance

ASSAULT AND BATTERY A man named Henry Cluchy was tried yesterday before Justice Davis charged with having assaulted a lad named John Thompkins Both parties reside down on Sauvie's island and the assault was made several days ago The assault was proven beyond all doubt and the court imposed a fine of $ Cluchy defaulted and was committed to the county jail for 10 days

SCHOOL DISMISSED —The Bishop Scott grammar school was dismissed yesterday by the head master Rev Geo Burton without reason assigned Whether studies will be resumed or not we have no information There are rumors to which we shall not give publicity without authentication Discontinuance of the school seems to have been entirely unexpected by the pupils and the public

A MONSTER STURGEON —The *Telegram* says "On Sunday night a Columbia river fisherman caught a sturgeon about three miles below Columbia City which measured a fraction of fourteen feet from nose to tip of tail fin and was a little less than five feet in circumference Owing to the lack of means the fish was not weighed This is the largest fish of the kind ever taken in the Columbia"

REMAINS ARRIVED —Last week a young man named Wilson, brother in law of Mr P Halbrook, who resides over on Columbia slough departed this life in Wasco county about 35 miles from The Dalles The remains were conveyed in a wagon to The Dalles and shipped by steamer to this city arriving here Monday evening Yesterday the body was buried in Lone Fir Cemetery

ARTICLE COPIED —In Vennor's *Almanac and Weather Record* for 1877 8 published at Montreal Canada is observed an extended paragraph copied from THE OREGONIAN of Oct 13 1877 in relation to a slight shock of earthquake which visited this city on the afternoon of Oct 12th The article appears almost in its entirety

GETTING WORSE —Monday evening news was received at the police station that Mrs Smallden's daughter was a good deal worse the symptoms being of an unfavorable character Yesterday the condition of the unfortunate young woman had not improved But little hope is entertained of the woman's recovery

BRIEF NOTES

Painters are busy

Plenty of fish in the markets

Cloudy and showery yesterday

The croquet season approacheth

Grouse shooting has commenced

Line heavily grounded yesterday

California vegetables are coming in

The season for blue beef has passed

The National hotel will probably be enlarged

Excelsior Lodge, K of P Rank work to night.

Condition of the county roads rapidly improving

Mrs F F Victor is in Eastern Oregon canvassing for her new book

Capt Jack Crawford and troupe will start for the Sound this morning

The *Dayton* and *Hyiu* are doing a good business in the Lewis river trade

Only a few days remain in which to pay county taxes. Saturday will be the last day

Boating will be unusually lively this year and rowing matches promise to be numerous.

Messages uncalled for at Western Union Telegraph office for Herbert M Wilson and Miss M M Lucich.

A number of the shade trees about the city are being dug up and those of a different variety set out in their place

Mr Ward who was a member of the police force some years ago is now proprietor of a feed and livery stable in Cheyenne

Honolulu papers as late as March 1, have been received and no mention is made of the arrival there of the bark *Edward James*

And now the average housewife is tearing up carpets and generally turning the house upside down in the usual spring cleaning

Thus far during the present month 103 arrests have been made by the police Last March 105 arrests were made during the entire month

The gate hinges have a patent alarm attachment this season, and the young couple with the attachment that is not patent, swing around the block instead of on the gate

Miss Rila Beck and Miss Etta Lyon, who returned here from a visit to San Francisco, were serenaded Monday evening by a number of friends and by the Northwestern band

Gus Miller and Geo Collins two well known acrobats of this city have volunteered their services and will appear at the next entertainment given by the Progress minstrel club

Saloon men complain that a larger number than usual of those who swore off on New Years still take their drinks on the sly and the loss of trade by the lack of the time honored custom of treating is considerable

Mr Geo Neimeyer was serenaded Monday evening by the Singing Section of the Turn Verein and a number of his friends It was on the occasion of the 41st anniversary of his birth A very enjoyable time was experienced

AMUSEMENTS

"FROM PORTLAND TO PARIS."—Rehearsals are being held preparatory to the production at New Market theater of the above entitled piece "From Portland to Paris" is a four-act comic burletta written by R C White Esq who has acquired considerable reputation in this state as an actor writer and poet Having heard most of the play read we can truthfully affirm that it is a very creditable dramatic effort cleverly constructed and written in the author's happiest vein of humor All the situations are funny and the dialogue crisp and vivacious If well produced the play cannot fail to interest and amuse Mr White has personal charge of the rehearsals and every attention is being bestowed on necessary details—costumes stage effects etc The proceeds of the entertainment will be applied toward defraying the necessary expenses of shipping the articles which will be on exhibition at the great Paris Exposition A number of volunteers have offered their services and will appear during the evening between the acts of the burletta Mr White is engaged in painting new scenes incidental to the piece Among the new scenes may be enumerated an interior and exterior view of New Market theater Palace hotel and Lotta Fountain San Francisco The new and elegant exhibit case which is now almost completed will be on exhibition at the theater during the evening

SOCIAL EVENTS

Social party this evening at Scandinavian Hall under the auspices of the Scandinavian Society

I O R M BALL —To morrow (Thursday) evening a ball will be given at Turn Halle under the auspices of Willamette Tribe Improved Order of Red Men Music will be furnished by the Northwestern String Band Tickets can be obtained from the members of the committee of arrangements—A Schuman A Staender and J F Iek

MASQUERADE BALL —A masquerade ball will be given at Hope's Hall in Oregon City under the personal management of Prof Halpruner Friday evening 29th inst. To accommodate Portlanders who may desire to attend Prof Halpruner has chartered the steamer *City of Salem* which will leave here for the falls city about o'clock Friday evening and return the following morning

PERSONAL.

J D Lee Esq , of Dallas, is in the city

Hon W D Hare collector of customs at Astoria is visiting Portland with the new revenue cutter *Thomas Corwin*

Dr C H Raffety, one of the well known physicians of East Portland will leave this morning for a short pleasure trip to the Bay City He will proceed to the Sound and take passage on the steamer *City of Panama* for San Francisco This will be the Doctor's first sea voyage and his many friends not only unite in the earnest wish that he may not get sick but that his trip may be one of pleasure and profit

BUSINESS NOTICES

G H C Carr, in receipt of the Farrow's book West Point It is valuable to those about to enter the academy

BARGAINS IN BOOKS —A closing out sale of a large importation of new books commences to day at the corner of First and Alder streets under the Odd Fellows hall Books sold during the day and evening at auction prices

Reduction in prices continue Guarantee $1 worth of crockery or glassware for 75c Go to get bargains at Monnastes First street between Morrison and Yamhill

Corset waist with stocking supporters for sale at Mrs Chas Tichnor's First street opposite Oregon Furniture salesroom

For lace bibs and cheap embroideries go to Mrs H Ach

THE TERRITORIES

Twenty five carpenters are at work in the town of Colfax on new buildings

Capt Stump is now making regular trips from Wallula to Lewiston with his new boat the *Northwest*

The Lummi Indians have established a school on their reservation of their own volition and at their own expense

There are at present fourteen prisoners in the Washington territory penitentiary on McNeil's island Six months ago there were only two

From the Swinomish country the Seattle *Intelligencer* learns that at least 2 000 more acres of the reclaimed tide lands will be put into grain this season than any year previous

Col Larrabee candidate for constitutional convention is speaking at different points on the Lower Sound He thinks the sentiment in favor of a state government is fast gaining ground among the voters of the territory

The Walla Walla *Union* again reports that settlers in the Crab creek country near which Chief Moses and his band reside are quite uneasy at the appearance of things They say that hitherto the Indians have been in the habit each spring of visiting the settlers in a friendly manner inquiring for work and begging that this spring the Indians and particularly the squaws do not come around the ranches but keep their distance If any are seen it is an occasional buck who is surly and distant

The Seattle *Tribune* boasts thus of its town Seattle now has 4 000 people has a railroad of its own construction has more manufactories and work shops than has double its population elsewhere in the territory is the terminal point of more steamboat routes than any other town in Oregon or Washington except Portland has more ships engaged in its trade than even the latter named city has the favorite route of travel over the Cascade mountains has retail and wholesale stores newspapers a bank docks buildings, etc that would do credit to eastern towns of a hundred years existence and twenty thousand inhabitants

CHURCH SOCIABLES.

There was a good attendance in the basement of the Baptist church last evening The exercises consisted of musical and literary productions which were acceptably rendered The programme was really a novel and interesting one. Social intercourse formed a most agreeable part of the evening and everything passed off as pleasantly as could possibly have been desired

The 6th, and not the least entertaining of sociables given under the auspices of the Congregational Ladies Society was that held in the basement of the church last evening There was as usual a well filled auditorium The programme was interesting, including as it did singing by Ye Olde Folke readings and the funny oration by the dwarf orator which elicited a great deal of merriment There was a genuine lay out of refreshments which were served by the ladies and freely indulged in A good sum was realized which in addition to that already in hand will aggregate about $500

THE COURTS

U S DISTRICT COURT—DEADY J

TUESDAY March 26 1878

U S vs Wong Sing order made to pay witnesses

U S vs Wm Cushman former plea withdrawn and plea of guilty entered sentenced to 30 days imprisonment or pay a fine of $50

U S vs Chas Lind arraigned plead guilty and sentenced to 30 days in the county jail

In re Estes and Carter report of register confirmed

U S vs C C Miller arraigned and plea of not guilty entered case continued

Court adjourned till 10 A M to morrow

METEOROLOGICAL RECORD

AT 7 57 P M

	Barometer	*Ther*	*Wind*	*Rainfall*	*Weather*
Portland	29 84	54	SW	0_	Clear
Olympia	29 78	50	0	00	Clear
Roseburg	29 78	57	0	04	Lt Rain
Red Bluff	29 80	52	SE	01	Lt Rain
Sacramento	29 83	59	SW	0_	Lt Rain

For ladies and children's cheap underwear go to Mrs H Ach

Crockery and glassware 25 per cent reduction for cash at Monnastes

For cheap calico wrappers and ladies and children's white aprons go to Mrs H Ach corner of Second and Morrison streets

Just received a large lot of bracelets to be sold at 25 cents a pair also a lot of back combs to be sold at 25 cents each Mrs Chas Tichnor

MILWAUKEE BEER —Messrs Marx & Jorgensen have received per steamer a large invoice of Joseph Schlitz Brewing Co's celebrated Milwaukee lager beer

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PORTLAND MUST HAVE IT

WHY A WALLA WALLA PAPER LOOKS AT THE PORTLAND SITUATION—A DIFFERENT VIEW OF THE SUBJECT FROM THAT TAKEN BY SOME IN PORTLAND

[From the Walla Walla Union]

A public meeting was held in Portland the other day at which resolutions were adopted demanding that the construction of the N P R R should be commenced at Portland and prosecuted vigorously up the Columbia The meeting was called and worked against the action of the Board of Trade which had refused to pass similar resolutions * * The sole burden of the argument of the few speakers in favor of the action finally taken by the meeting was that Portland is the great commercial emporium of the northwest and that important position the N P R R must terminate there Any man without an eye can see that The question which the rest of the northwest are considering is whether they are willing to jeopardize the chances of obtaining a railroad across the country in order to maintain the supremacy of Portland We think not. As we have heretofore shown Eastern Oregon and Washington territory are not indebted to Portland for their prosperity They have flourished and grown strong without her aid and if we are not greatly mistaken the feelings of the people they care little very little whether Portland sinks into insignificance What the people want is railroad communication with the rest of the world True they would prefer to have a railroad built first to the Pacific but with a reasonable assurance of a speedy connection with the Atlantic seaboard they would be content to put up for a few years longer with the present mode of reaching market They are not so blinded by self interest as to claim that their wants should be first supplied at the expense of every other interest

Again this people are not like the people of Portland so bitterly opposed to the O S N Co as to refuse to give them credit for what good they have done True that company haven't ever gone twelve miles up stream out of their way to benefit us as they have Portland They have carried our produce up the Willamette to Portland when they could have easier taken it past to Astoria for our benefit. Nor have they been as liberal in their dealings with our people as we could have wished But the members of that company are the only residents of Portland who have ever tried to develope the country east of the Cascades The company are a monopoly but they have not been trying to starve the goose that laid their golden eggs. They have since the *Union* was born and on their own motion reduced freight and passage rates Their present means of transportation are more than amply sufficient to carry all the freight and passengers up the Columbia but they are now expending hundreds of thousands of dollars in adding to and improving their facilities for carrying freight in order to be able to furnish a market for the surplus of this country The *Union* is not at fever heat the especial friend and champion of the O S N Company but when it sees a community, like that of Portland resolving against a proposition that may benefit that company it cannot help suggesting to that community that a great share of their wealth and commercial importance is due to the action of the hateful monopoly

RESOLUTIONS OF CONDOLENCE

On the decease of Brother I Davis by Oregon Lodge No 65, I O B B

PORTLAND March 24 1878

WHEREAS By the mysterious decree of Divine Providence our worthy Brother I Davis has been removed from our midst therefore be it

Resolved That by the death of Brother I Davis this Lodge has lost a worthy and zealous member the community an honest and upright citizen and his family a kind husband and father

Resolved That while we bow in submission to the will of God we cannot refrain from expressing our sorrow for the loss we have sustained and from extending our tenderest sympathies to the bereaved widow and orphans of our late Brother

W FRIEDLANDER
M BAIL
W WOLFF
Committee

A CARD TO DR. R. F. PRICE

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WM WATERFORD,
Cor of K and Twelfth street Portland Ogn

PORTLAND Ogn March 22 1878

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THE WOODHAVEN SALMON CANNERY opposite Gardiner on the Umpqua river Douglas county and the STRATHWAIN Cannery on the Siuslaw river Lane county Oregon formerly belonging to Emerson Corville & Co are offered at private sale by the Assignees with the inventory of Cases Cans Solder Boats Nets Merchandise and all other property of whatever nature connected with said Canneries Bids will be received for either or both establishments at so many cents on the dollar of the inventory valuation Property will be sold on the basis of payment what is delivered be the quantity more or less The inventory is open for inspection at the store of Geo H Fay & Co 616 Battery street San Francisco Address JOHN McCRAKEN & CO Portland Or and HENRY R BROOKS Chairman Assignees E Corville & Co
mh9dawtf 616 Battery street San Francisco

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTING under the name and style of Simon, Springer & Co is this day dissolved by limitation The business will be continued by the undersigned who are alone authorized to collect all outstanding debts and will pay all liabilities of the late firm

JASON SPRINGER & CO

February 1 1878

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

We have appointed Mr CLIFFORD COGGINS as our attorney to act for us in settling up the affairs of the late firm of Simon, Springer & Co and for the purpose of carrying on the business now or hereafter carried on at Portland Oregon under the name and style of Jason Springer & Co

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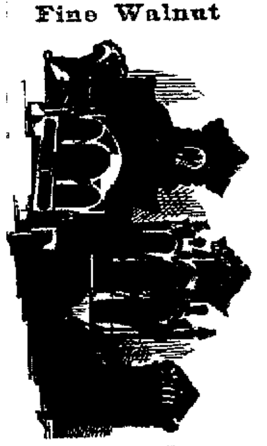

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The Daily Oregonian.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, MARCH 27, 1878.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Financial.

TUESDAY EVENING, March 26, 1878.

Gold in New York, 101¼.

Legal tenders in Portland—buying 97¾, selling 98⅛@98¾.

Silver in Portland, buying 3½@4 per cent. discount.

The local produce market is but little if any changed as to prices since the close of last week. Breadstuffs and grain are quiet, potatoes weaker at quotation and eggs 2 cts per dozen lower. Receipts at this market so far during the week have been lighter than usual.

But few remarks are necessary to describe the situation of local financial affairs. A moderate degree of activity prevails, and though the market is supplied with loanable capital quite sufficient to meet the ordinary demand, but little disposition is shown to reduce rates on loans.

Thus far during the spring the volume of business in local circles has been up to the anticipations of business men. It is generally regarded as true that the agitation on financial subjects and of the tariff question has kept back trade somewhat, as men of good business judgment pursue under such circumstances the most conservative policy, and merchants and bankers have so acted. Now that these questions are in a somewhat more certain stage, we hope to see before very long a relaxation to some extent.

A correspondent of the Associated Press telegraphs from New York, under date of the 19th, as follows:

There is on the whole a more cheerful feeling in business circles, and home trade is increasing, though it is below the usual average at this stage of the season. The export trade continues active, and our varied productions are drawing wealth from other lands beyond all precedent. With the exercise of patience and leniency a new era of prosperity cannot fail to dawn upon the country in spite of all present discouragements, which are certainly numerous. Exports of wheat to Great Britain have fallen off, owing to renewed competition with Russian granaries, but we have shipped quite freely to the North Sea and Baltic ports, French purchases in particular having been quite extensive. There is a diversity of opinion as to the probable course of the breadstuffs market. Prices are low, but supplies are everywhere ample. The mass of consumers are comparatively poor, while all present indications favor another year of plenty. Under these circumstances it is not improbable that wheat will touch still lower depths of depression, but those who are burdened with large stocks bought at higher prices naturally resist a downward tendency with all the aids that can be brought to bear, and they have stemmed the adverse current remarkably well during the week. It is rather a curious fact that the strongest bulls in wheat are to be found among English buyers, probably because they are large speculative holders on both sides of the Atlantic.

Approaching a Solid Basis.

In spite of the constant tinkering by congress with the national financial system, the monetary condition of the country appears to be gradually improving. During the week ending the 9th inst. the fifty-seven banks which form the New York clearing house gained nearly $4,000,000 in their specie reserve. These 57 banks now hold more specie than legal tenders, a fact which has not existed for 16 years until very recently. The average amount of specie and legal tenders on hand compare as follows with the same date last year:

	1877.	1878.
Specie	$27,548,000	$27,116,900
Legal tenders	43,768,000	30,655,900
Totals	$71,316,000	$57,772,800

The legal tenders now held are worth 3 per cent. more than they were at this time last year, and are so near par in gold that it requires no stretch of truth to say that the New York banks are practically on a specie paying basis in reference to their cash reserves.

Wheat Exports.

The exports of wheat from the four leading Atlantic ports and Montreal, from September 1st to February 16th, in 1877–8 and 1876–7, were officially reported as follows, in bushels:

To—	1877–8.	1876–7.
United Kingdom	20,247,682	8,388,743
Continent	4,479,108	1,854,321
South and Central America	200	......
West Indies	15,000	12,592
B. N. A. Colonies	1,805	15,584
Other countries	88,390	6,863
Total	33,772,226	10,278,103

Miscellaneous.

On the 1st instant the New York banks held $188,500 more specie than legal tenders.

The imports of foreign dry goods at the port of New York for the month of February were valued at $11,438,421, against $11,756,301 for the same month last year.

So great is the anxiety among ship owners at New York to get their vessels into the Pacific ocean that they are accepting from $6 to $8 per ton for dead weight to San Francisco or Australia and 25s for measurement to Sydney.

The London *Times* asserts that American potatoes threaten to drive the home raised article out of the market. The American potato is no longer imported for seed, but in large quantities for consumption. The *Times* finds in the fact evidence of the remarkable productive powers of American farming.

The exports of specie from the port of New York for the week ended March 2d, were $109,998, and the imports for the same time were $789,303. Of the latter, $587,561 was gold coin and bars from Liverpool. Since January 1st the imports of specie at the above named port have exceeded the exports by $1,525,913.

The London *Times* says the effect of the passage of the silver bill through the United States senate by more than a two-thirds majority was not at once apparent in government securities. Prices at first showed a tendency to advance, probably in sympathy with the general tone of the stock markets; but there has since been some genuine selling, which has caused a relapse.

During the month of January the exports of coin and bullion from the United States exceeded the imports by $1,940,689, and $4,912,929 for the seven months ended January 31st. For the corresponding seven months in the previous year the imports exceeded the exports by $5,357,822. As showing, however, the position of our foreign commerce in the present fiscal year we will state that for the seven months ended January 31st, the exports of merchandise and specie exceeded the imports by $140,322,066.

Real Estate.

March 14, 1878, 10 acres of Hampton Kelly's donation land claim in section 7, township 1 N, R 2 E—$400.

March 23, lot in block C, Carter's Addition, beginning at middle of west line said block, thence east 230 feet by north 30 feet—$30.

March 25, lot in Nancy Lownsdale tract, known as lot 4 in north ½ double block K—$100.

March 25, same lot as above described—$100.

March 23, lots 5 and 6, block 60, Holladay's Addition—$1,000.

March 23, lot 3, block 204, Couch's Addition—$925.

Mortgages.

$330 in installments, 10 per cent.

$1,000 on or before March 9, 1879, 10 per cent.

Shipping Intelligence.

The steamship Geo. W. Elder, hence for San Francisco, will sail at 6 A. M. on Friday next.

The steamship California, which arrived from Sitka and way ports last night will sail on her return trip on Monday next at 5 o'clock P. M.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COPARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between Seid Cue and Sam Cheung, under the firm name and style of Wing Wing & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be continued by Seid Cue, who is authorized to collect all demands of said firm, and will pay all demands against the same.

SEID CUE,
SAM CHEUNG.
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Dated at Portland this 5th day of March, 1878.

A. C. GIBBS. B. F. DENNISON. W. S. BEEBE

GIBBS, DENNISON & BEEBE,
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NOTICE.

THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTING between Chs. Eklund and G. Haas in the saloon business on Front street, near Morrison, Portland, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. Chs. Eklund will continue the business, assuming the liabilities of the late firm, and is alone authorized to collect the outstanding accounts.

CHARLES EKLUND,
GEORGE A. HAAS.

Portland, March 19, 1878. mh20d8t

I COLLECT EVERY VARIETY OF CLAIM ON THE UNITED STATES,

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CAUTION.

Persons coming to Portland, requiring medical treatment of the proper kind, who desire to consult with me, will please beware of persons who may try to coax them away to other so-called Doctors, through pretended friendship for the patients. Look out for them; they are knaves, prompted by selfish motives and what they can make. Be sure and ask for DR. PAUL M. BRENAN, the *Medical Lecturer*, and read his sign on his door, Room No. 7, Corbett's Block, over O'Connor's Store, corner of Front and Washington streets.

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SCHOOL ELECTION.

THE LEGAL VOTERS OF SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 1, Multnomah county, Oregon, are hereby notified that the Annual Election for said District will be held at the corner of Third and Alder sts., on

MONDAY, APRIL 1, 1878,

for the purpose of electing one Director, to serve for three years, and a Clerk to serve one year.

Polls will be open from 2 to 6 P. M.

There will be an Annual Meeting of the Taxpayers, to be held at the Court House, on

Monday, April 8, 1878, at 7:30 P. M.,

for the purpose of hearing a report of the Board of Directors and Clerk, and also for the purpose of levying a tax for support of the Schools for the ensuing year, and for leving a tax for the purchase of real estate and erecting buildings thereon, and for the transaction of any other business that may come before the meeting.

By order of the Board of Directors.

D. W. WILLIAMS,
Clerk of School District No. 1, Multnomah county, Oregon. td

ASSIGNEE'S SALE.

I WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION ON WEDNESDAY, the 3d day of April, 1878, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the town of Milwaukie, Oregon, the following parcels of land of the estate of Joseph Kellogg, bankrupt: A parcel commencing at S E cor, of the Lot Whitcomb donation land claim in T 2 S, R 1 E and T 1 S, R 1 E, running thence north 1° west 17 chains; thence north 57° west 20.10 chains; down Oregon City Road; thence S 35° W, 15.25 chs.; thence S 45° E, 3.74 chains; thence S 1° E 18 23 chs. to south claim line; thence S 88½° E along said claim line 30 chains to the place of beginning containing about 74 acres. Has dwelling house and other improvements, with water power and mill privileges. Also a parcel bounded by beginning 1 72 chains south of N E corner of section 12 in T 2 S, R 1 E, running thence west 31.80 chains thence north 24 15 chains; thence east 31 80 chains; thence south 24.15 chains to the place of beginning, containing about 58 acres, and being the donation land claim of W. R. B Catlon. Also, lots 7 and 8 in block 37, in the town of Milwaukie, with dwelling house.

JOHN CATLIN,
Assignee of Joseph Kellogg, bankrupt.
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For the Next Sixty Days Sell at Cost for Cash.

I append a List of Prices, that the public may judge for themselves:

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No. 2 Saddle	20 00	17 00
No. 3 Saddle	17 00	14 00
No. 4 Saddle	12 00	9 50
No. 5 Saddle	10 00	8 00
No. 6 Saddle	9 00	6 00
Concord Stage Wheel Harness with Breeching	35 00	30 00
Concord Stage Hip Strap Harness	32 00	26 00
Self Adjusting Pad Harness	35 00	27 00
Hook and Territ	30 00	27 00
Common Team Harness	27 00	23 00
Chain and Plow	20 00	16 00

All Harness with Patent Trace Buckles if desired; Plated or Plain Hames with Snaps, and Breast-strap Slides.

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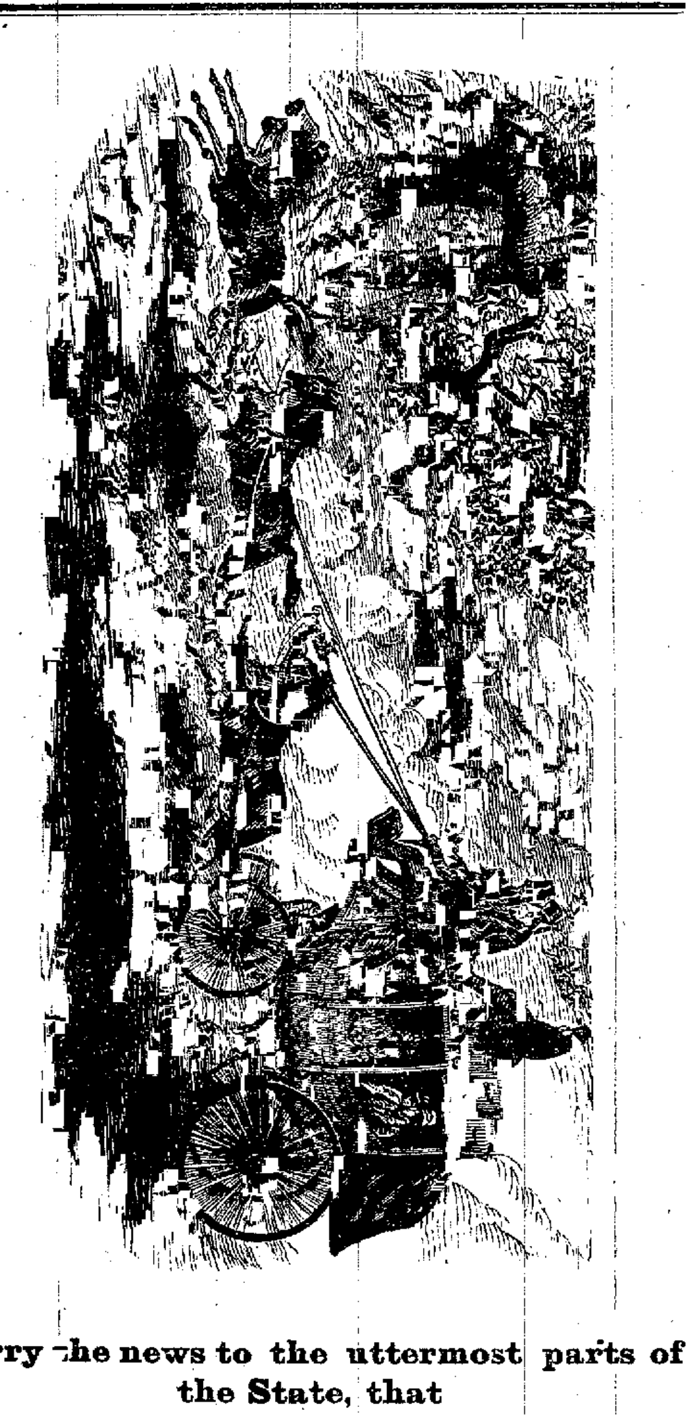

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Salem, March 15, 1878.

NOTICE is hereby given that there are funds in the Treasury for the payment of State Warrants of the old issue, viz: Nos. 610, 629, 630, 611, 637, 645, 648, 649, 651, 655, 656, 657, 658, 660, 663, 664, 665, 666, 667, 668, 669.

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A. H. BROWN,
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GENERAL NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

Tilden's Income Suits.

New York, March 26.—Judge Blatchford, of U. S. district court, gave a decision to day the suit of the United States against ex- vernor Samuel J. Tilden, to recover some 0,000 income tax alleged to be due the gov- nment by the defendant. Counsel for Mr. den set up a demurrer and the case was ued at great length. Judge Blatchford's ision is quite lengthy. He sustains the fendant's demurrer to the first count in the plaint. On the other eleven counts he tains plaintiffs, the United States, in their murrer to the answer of defense, holding t the government was not bound by the ion of the U. S. assessor as its agent, and Tilden himself was required to make a rn of his income, which he had not done. e case is now to proceed to trial by jury on the question of the income of Tilden ring the years in which he made no return. three years Tilden allowed the U. S. asses- to make the return, and paid the tax on h return together with the penalty of five cent, but this the court holds was not ficient, as will be seen by the decision ove.

The Bloviating Blair.

Blair, in the Maryland legislature last night lined to accommodate some members by taining from pressing his resolution look- to unseating the president. He declared re was an understanding among leading mocrats of the country, and that he knew developments that would soon startle the ntry to an unheard of extent.

Capital Punishment Restored.

Des Moines, March 26.—Both houses ad- ned *sine die* at noon to-day. The closing most important act of general interest restoring capital punishment, which sed both houses.

Indian War Cloud in the Northwest.

Chicago, March 27.—Official but trust- rthy information from Fort Walsh con- ms the recent story of a large confederation hostile Indians in that vicinity. Sitting ll and Spotted Tail have been reinforced lodges from the Missouri river agencies, cluding Red Cloud's, and it is now esti- ted that there are from 5,000 to 7,000 rriors within a hundred miles of Fort alsh. Some of these bands have been seen Miles' scouts. The savages are very rest- and are under constant surveillance of limited force of Canadian mounted police, o evidently anticipate trouble. At the uncil the last week in February, the Indi- s resolved to resist the buffalo law, and ting Bull counseled moderation toward the